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As evidence that he was only slightly injured, the Prince that same afternoon rode in four races, finishing respectively second, third, fourth and unplaced.

BULGARIA REQUESTS REPARATION DELAY

SOFIA, Bulgaria, Feb. 13.—The reparations commission has been requested by Bulgaria to postpone the time of Bulgaria's payments of reparations three years. The committee of the Allies in Sofia supported the request, and the members of the reparation commission are favorable to agreeing on condition that Bulgaria show her goodwill by paying 10,000,000 francs in gold and giving guarantees that the country will follow a sane economic policy.

DOES NOT APPLY TO IRISH CATTLE

Statement on Embargo Made by Premier Lloyd George—Retention of Measure Not Favored in Scotland

LONDON, Feb. 13.—Replying to a question in the House of Commons today as to whether the embargo on cattle would apply to cattle from the Irish Free State, Premier Lloyd George said he had no reason to think that the restrictions referred to would apply to cattle from Ireland, but the question whether legislation was necessary to remove any doubt on this point was under consideration.

In any case, the Premier added, the power of the Minister of Agriculture to prohibit the landing of such cattle, if necessary, would not be affected.

Dispatches from Scotland show that the retention of the cattle embargo is regarded with considerable less favor there than in England. It is asserted that the Scottish farmers have always prided themselves on the superiority of their husbandry over England, and the variance in agricultural opinion between the countries on the embargo is taken to reflect their respective standards in agriculture. It is pointed out that the promoters of the repeal of the embargo have in the past blamed the Irish members of Parliament, whose voting strength was considered a factor which it was impossible for the Government to ignore.

Whether this factor will be removed by Ireland's new status seems to be a matter still to be settled.

The association which is conducting the agitation against the embargo has called another meting for February 20.

FORMER PREMIER MEETS DEFEAT

Mr. Asquith's Amendment to Address, Censuring Government, Is Voted Down in House by Large Majority

LONDON, Feb. 13.—Former Premier Asquith, speaking in the House of Commons today on the resumption of the debate on the address in reply to the Speech from the Throne, moved an amendment expressing regret that the extravagance of the Government had imposed on the country a pressing burden of taxation, and that it had been unable to make a definite promise that taxation would be reduced in order to stimulate trade and decrease unemployment.

The Geddes report on possible Government economies, he said, had justified the charge contained in his amendment.

Referring to the criticism of the estimate for the fighting services, Mr. Asquith compared the pre-war expenditures of the army and navy—£80,000,000—to this year's estimates of £170,000,000, and remarked that the only thing that unhappily marred the gratification "at the most remarkable gathering in Washington, was that the question of land armaments was excluded form consideration and that the conference did not feel able to deal—as he was glad to think the British representatives had pressed it strongly to deal—with the question of submarines.

Austen Chamberlain, the Government leader, stated that the Admiralty memorandum of the Geddes report was issued with the approval of the Government. He foreshadowed the publication of similar memoranda from other departments.

Mr. Asquith's amendment was defeated by 241 to 91.

GEDDES REPORT GETS ATTENTION

Opposition Members in House of Commons Attack Government in Connection With Its Recommendations

DECLARE ECONOMIES ARE INSUFFICIENT

Complaints Offered on Crushing Weight of Taxation—Mr. Chamberlain Replies on Behalf of Government

LONDON, Feb. 13.—In the course of the debate in the House of Commons on the Geddes economy recommendations, J. Robertson, Labor member for Bothwell, criticized the allowances made to the royal family and the expenditure on the Prince of Wales' tour in India and Canada, when so many women and children were starving. He said he was sure the royal family would be willing to economize.

R. J. Clynes, Labor member, strongly opposed economy at the expense of education and social reform.

Sir Donald MacLean, Liberal member, termed the Admiralty circular criticising the Geddes report "unprecedented and unconstitutional." He also complained of the crushing burden of taxation, and suggested that the best remedy was to change the government.

Austen Chamberlain, replying for the Government, said he did not pretend that the Government did not make mistakes. He dwelt on the reductions in expenditure already accomplished, and declined to admit that the Government was bound to reject the Geddes report as a whole or accept it.

He referred to considerations of which, he held, the Geddes committee could not be the judge, and said that half the opposition speeches had been directed to defeat, and not carry out, the Geddes reductions.

Right Hon. Andrew Bonar Law, in acknowledging the freedom of the city of Glasgow today, said that the people in this country and throughout the world were loosening in national moral fibre. The immense burden of taxation, he said, which, whatever economies are effected must remain, tended to prevent employment and was as great an evil in Britain as the evil that destroyed villages in France. Great Britain would overcome her difficulties, he said, not through the Government, but by the steadfastness of her people.

Numerous interruptions by unemployed before Mr. Law spoke resulted in the police removing five men from the hall.

MURDER OF TAYLOR REMAINS MYSTERIOUS

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 13.—The investigation of the slaying of William Desmond Taylor, motion picture director, reached a stage today which was described by officials directing the inquiry as one of "waiting for the unexpected." It was frankly admitted that no progress had been made in the direction of establishing who fired the shot which killed the director in his home on the night of February 1.

The only action taken at the district attorney's office, where the inquiry has been centralized, was the interviewing of a young woman late in the afternoon who called with a request that she might see some of the investigators. She left about fifteen minutes later, after having been taken to the office of District Attorney Thomas Woolwine. She declined to give her name. Persons who saw her said she was no one connected prominently with the motion picture industry. No statement was given out concerning her call by the district attorney's office at the time.

Mr. Woolwine said he had checked up on "countless" clues which had been brought to his attention, without definite results.

OFFERS SOLUTION OF VAST PROBLEM

Sir Philip Gibbs, Noted Publicist, Recommends Demobilization of Russian "Red Army"

Still another suggestion for the solution for the problem of world unrest, a solution working toward world reconstruction, is offered by Sir Philip Gibbs, to supplement the many which statesmen, politicians, economists, religionists and revolutionaries have already presented. In the concluding passages of the thoughtful and experience-inspired address which he gave last night for an attentive, but all too small audience at the Pantages Theatre, the noted war correspondent and publicist outlined his "plan" for the relief of Russia and, through Russia, the relief of a general and world-wide economic condition which is marked with danger to every section of civilization.

"My suggestion is for the British Empire, for France and Germany, and the United States, to make a business proposition to Russia, that they will give Russia economic aid

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RAIDING IN ULSTER SERIOUSLY AFFECTS IRELAND'S AFFAIRS

Resulting Situation Causes Grave Alarm in London Official Circles—Evening Newspaper Declares Ireland Is on Brink of Civil War—Protection for Ulster Counties

EVACUATION HALT CAUSES ANXIETY

Government Explanation That Troops Are Kept Pending Investigation of Northern Necessities—Michael Collins Proposes Journey to London to Find Reasons for Stoppage

LONDON, Feb. 13.—The Irish situation since the raids over the Ulster border has steadily become worse, and no secret is made of the grave alarm with which it is viewed in official circles in London. Winston Spencer Churchill, Secretary for the Colonies, declared in the House this afternoon that the shooting of the Ulster special constables at Clones has greatly aggravated the situation.

The Evening Standard asserts that Ireland is on the brink of civil war, and quotes a member of the government as saying that, while the government hesitates to do anything which the Sinn Feiners could interpret as provocative, swift military preparations have already been made to prevent an armed invasion of Fermanagh and Tyrone.

In the light of the developments of the last few days, much significance is attached to the suspension today of the evacuation of British troops from Southern Irish ports. The Irish Office explains that the suspension was ordered pending a decision regarding the extent of the reinforcements to be sent to Ulster. Sir James Craig, Ulster Premier, announced tonight that the Ulster garrison of British troops was to be increased from ten battalions, the previous number, to fourteen.

Sir James Craig, the Ulster Premier, telegraphed the British government tonight asking what action "other than dispatching messages to Dublin" the government was taking, or had taken, to secure the return of the kidnapped loyalists.

Michael Collins head of the provisional government, in a message to the American Association for the Recognition of the Irish Republic, charges that a coup d'etat is being planned against the provisional government, and warns the association against assisting in another attempt to destroy the new government.

Mr. Collins informed the association that the alternative to the treaty is renewal of the warfare, and declared that the provisional government wanted the people themselves to decide the issue, adding that if they decided for war there need not be any doubt as to where he would stand.

In conformity with the decision to release Irish political prisoners in England, the government liberated 17 this afternoon. The release of the others is expected to follow shortly.

Disorders in Southern Ireland continue.

Mr. Collins Goes to London

DUBLIN, Feb. 13.—Michael Collins is perturbed over the suspension of the evacuation of British troops, and proposes to go to London tomorrow to ask the British Cabinet why. He informed the correspondents that he had learned at 10 o'clock tonight from the British representatives in Dublin that evacuation had been held up. When asked what he thought the reason was, he replied he did not know, adding: "But I am determined to see the thing put right."

He gave the correspondents the impression that he was aware that sinister influences were at work, and therefore intended to go to London to make sure there was no misunderstanding.

In conclusion, he declared: "In spite of undermining at home and enemies abroad, I mean to see the contract carried through."

Boundary Question

LONDON, Feb. 13.—Capt. Charles Craig, Unionist, for South Antrim, has given notice that when the second reading of the Free State bill is begun in the House of Commons on Thursday, he will move that the House decline to proceed with it until the government has given assurance that the provision for establishing a boundary commission should be eliminated from the agreement, or that any decision of the boundary commission shall take effect only with the approval of the Northern Parliament.

Messages From America

DUBLIN, Feb. 13.—Michael Collins has received a message from Chicago, which says:

"At a meeting of the members of sixteen councils in the second congressional district, representing over 18,000 members, expression of opinion was unanimous for majority rule in Ireland as in the United States, and for the support only of a government which received the sanction of the Irish people."

Mr. Collins received another message from Chicago saying that the Michael O'Hanrahan council of the American Association for the Recognition of the Irish Republic, with a membership of more than 3,000, greets him and pledges support of the government chosen by the Irish people.

FIUME IS SUBJECTED TO NEW DISTURBANCE

ROME, Feb. 13.—Dispatches from Fiume describe a serious situation there due to the antagonism between the Fascisti and the police forces organized by Mayor Zanella, who is accused of being friendly to the Croats.

The Fiume correspondent of The Popolo Romano says Croat bands are encamped outside the gates of Fiume and that Mayor Zanella tried to induce the carabineers and Italian troops to disarm the Fascisti, but failed. Zanella has wired the Italian Government for assistance.

LONDON, Feb. 13—Croat troops tried to capture the city of Fiume at midnight last night, but were repulsed, says a Central News dispatch from Rome today.

CALL PLEBISCITE ON HORSE RACING

Council Declines to Make Decision Itself and Will Submit Issue to Taxpayers—Refuse Exhibition Grant

A plebiscite to determine whether or not horse racing shall continue in Victoria will be submitted to the taxpayers on Friday, March 3, the day set for the aldermanic by-election.

Three factions expressed themselves at the Council meeting last night, but the pro-plebiscite party, supporting a recommendation brought in by the finance committee, carried the majority vote.

Aldermen Hayward and Perry fought for a resolution to sanction horse racing, while Alderman Patrick took a lone stand against horse racing, describing it as "bad business, pernicious, ridiculous and criminal."

The Council rejected the application of the British Columbia Agricultural Association for the usual grant of $5,000 for the annual Fall fair at the Willows. The finance committee reported against it, pointing out that the association had a balance in hand amounting to $8,139.

Mr. George Sangster, secretary of the association, told The Colonist that while it would be possible to hold an exhibition without the city's grant, it would necessarily be on a much smaller scale than formerly.

The Council had several letters before it from various organizations relating to the advisability of a continuance of horse rasing. Rev. William

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Ruffians in Belfast Kill Little Children

Slaughter by Bombs Thrown Into Streets—Some Twelve People Slain and Twenty Wounded by Rifle Shots—Assassins Operate Over Large Area in City

BELFAST, Feb. 13.—There was marked activity in Belfast tonight on the part of snipers. An unidentified man picked up wounded was taken to a hospital, but was found to be dead on his arrival there. Two constables were wounded in North Queen Street. It is remarkable that a number of girls are on the casualty list.

The snipers were concealed. They fired into Royal Avenue, the principal thoroughfare of the city, and tram cars had to dash past the danger spot.

A gang entered the saloon of Patrick Lamb, on York Street here, at noon today and attempted to hold him up. Lamb resisted and was shot and killed. About the same time a bartender in a neighboring saloon was shot and badly wounded.

While a dance of the Ancient Order of Hibernians was in progress in a hall near Cookstown, East Tyrone, last night, an attack by a party of armed men was made upon the hall. The Hibernians sallied out and replied with stones. Two persons were wounded by bullets. Local Unionist constables who were summoned drove away the attacking party, which the constables declared was composed of Sinn Feiners.

The two newspapermen from Belfast, who were arrested in the interior last week, reappeared in Belfast this afternoon. Their release was obtained through the interposition of Owen O'Duffy, the Irish republican army chief of staff. Although the reporters had been moved from point to point while held prisoner, they never once came in contact with the kidnapped Unionists.

A bomb thrown in Weaver Street tonight killed one child and so seriously wounded three other children that they are not expected to recover. There were numerous other casualties from the bomb, but as ambulances carried the injured to hospitals, the exact number or the nature of their injuries is not known.

Two men wounded during the shooting today died tonight in the hospital. It is said that the total number of persons wounded during the day was 50. A bomb thrown in Pride Street, Londonderry, tonight, wounded a man and broke many windows.

Beginning tonight, the curfew extending from 9 o'clock in the evening until 5 o'clock in the morning will be relaxed. This action was decided upon today in a conference between the lord mayor, the military commander and the police commissioner as a result of renewed disorders yesterday, which continued sporadically today.

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At headquarters it was stated that special constables of the Northern Government, operating across the border on Sunday evening, fired into the houses of farmers in County Monaghan.

A public inquiry into the death of Commandant Fitzpatrick, of the Irish Republican army, who was killed during the fight, is to be held by the provisional government at Clones tomorrow.

The Irish Republican army has made three arrests in connection with the killing of Lieut. Wogan Brown. Michael Collins, head of the provisional government, said tonight: "Any we can prove guilty will be rapidly dealt with."

It is reported that a large number of the kidnapped Ulstermen have been removed from Ballybay to County Cavan.

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WASHINGTON, Feb. 13. — The treaty between the United States and Japan, fixing the status of the Island of Yap and covering all ocean cables and wireless on and from the island, was sent to the Senate for ratification today by President Harding.

PRINCE OF WALES ESCAPES INJURY WHEN PONY FALLS

LONDON, Feb. 13.—The Prince of Wales narrowly escaped injury at Gwalior, Central India, last Saturday, when his polo pony reared and fell backwards, says a dispatch to The London Times today from its correspondent who is with the Prince on his Indian tour. The Prince on knocking the ball about the polo grounds, riding a pony which objected to approaching a dead ball. He tried to urge the animal up to a ball lying in the middle of the field when the pony reared and fell. The Prince was able to slip out from under his mount only slightly shaken.

As evidence that he was only slightly injured, the Prince that same afternoon rode in four races, finishing respectively second, third, fourth and unplaced.

BULGARIA REQUESTS REPARATION DELAY

SOFIA, Bulgaria, Feb. 13.—The reparations commission has been requested by Bulgaria to postpone the time of Bulgaria's payments of reparations three years. The committee of the Allies in Sofia supported the request, and the members of the reparation commission are favorable to agreeing on condition that Bulgaria show her goodwill by paying 10,000,000 francs in gold and giving guarantees that the country will follow a sane economic policy.

DOES NOT APPLY TO IRISH CATTLE

Statement on Embargo Made by Premier Lloyd George—Retention of Measure Not Favored in Scotland

LONDON, Feb. 13.—Replying to a question in the House of Commons today as to whether the embargo on cattle would apply to cattle from the Irish Free State, Premier Lloyd George said he had no reason to think that the restrictions referred to would apply to cattle from Ireland, but the question whether legislation was necessary to remove any doubt on this point was under consideration.

In any case, the Premier added, the power of the Minister of Agriculture to prohibit the landing of such cattle, if necessary, would not be affected.

Dispatches from Scotland show that the retention of the cattle embargo is regarded with considerable less favor there than in England. It is asserted that the Scottish farmers have always prided themselves on the superiority of their husbandry over England, and the variance in agricultural opinion between the countries on the embargo is taken to reflect their respective standards in agriculture. It is pointed out that the promoters of the repeal of the embargo have in the past blamed the Irish members of Parliament, whose voting strength was considered a factor which it was impossible for the Government to ignore.

Whether this factor will be removed by Ireland's new status seems to be a matter still to be settled.

The association which is conducting the agitation against the embargo has called another meting for February 20.

FORMER PREMIER MEETS DEFEAT

Mr. Asquith's Amendment to Address, Censuring Government, Is Voted Down in House by Large Majority

LONDON, Feb. 13.—Former Premier Asquith, speaking in the House of Commons today on the resumption of the debate on the address in reply to the Speech from the Throne, moved an amendment expressing regret that the extravagance of the Government had imposed on the country a pressing burden of taxation, and that it had been unable to make a definite promise that taxation would be reduced in order to stimulate trade and decrease unemployment.

The Geddes report on possible Government economies, he said, had justified the charge contained in his amendment.

Referring to the criticism of the estimate for the fighting services, Mr. Asquith compared the pre-war expenditures of the army and navy—£80,000,000—to this year's estimates of £170,000,000, and remarked that the only thing that unhappily marred the gratification "at the most remarkable gathering in Washington, was that the question of land armaments was excluded form consideration and that the conference did not feel able to deal—as he was glad to think the British representatives had pressed it strongly to deal—with the question of submarines.

Austen Chamberlain, the Government leader, stated that the Admiralty memorandum of the Geddes report was issued with the approval of the Government. He foreshadowed the publication of similar memoranda from other departments.

Mr. Asquith's amendment was defeated by 241 to 91.

GEDDES REPORT GETS ATTENTION

Opposition Members in House of Commons Attack Government in Connection With Its Recommendations

DECLARE ECONOMIES ARE INSUFFICIENT

Complaints Offered on Crushing Weight of Taxation—Mr. Chamberlain Replies on Behalf of Government

LONDON, Feb. 13.—In the course of the debate in the House of Commons on the Geddes economy recommendations, J. Robertson, Labor member for Bothwell, criticized the allowances made to the royal family and the expenditure on the Prince of Wales' tour in India and Canada, when so many women and children were starving. He said he was sure the royal family would be willing to econonize.

R. J. Clynes, Labor member, strongly opposed economy at the expense of education and social reform.

Sir Donald MacLean, Liberal member, termed the Admiralty circular criticizing the Geddes report "unprecedented and unconstitutional." He also complained of the crushing burden of taxation, and suggested that the best remedy was to change the government.

Austen Chamberlain, replying for the Government, said he did not pretend that the Government did not make mistakes. He dwelt on the reductions in expenditure already accomplished, and declined to admit that the Government was bound to reject the Geddes report as a whole or accept it.

He referred to considerations of which, he held, the Geddes committee could not be the judge, and said that half the opposition speeches had been directed to defeat, and not carry out, the Geddes reductions.

Right Hon. Andrew Bonar Law, in acknowledging the freedom of the city of Glasgow today, said that the people in this country and throughout the world were loosening in national moral fibre. The immense burden of taxation, he said, which, whatever economies are effected must remain, tended to prevent employment and was as great an evil in Britain as the evil that destroyed villages in France. Great Britain would overcome her difficulties, he said, not through the Government, but by the steadfastness of her people.

Numerous interruptions by unemployed before Mr. Law spoke resulted in the police removing five men from the hall.

MURDER OF TAYLOR REMAINS MYSTERIOUS

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 13.—The investigation of the slaying of William Desmond Taylor, motion picture director, reached a stage today which was described by officials directing the inquiry as one of "waiting for the unexpected." It was frankly admitted that no progress had been made in the direction of establishing who fired the shot which killed the director in his home on the night of February 1.

The only action taken at the district attorney's office, where the inquiry has been centralized, was the interviewing of a young woman late in the afternoon who called with a request that she might see some of the investigators. She left about fifteen minutes later, after having been taken to the office of District Attorney Thomas Woolwine. She declined to give her name. Persons who saw her said she was no one connected prominently with the motion picture industry. No statement was given out concerning her call by the district attorney's office at the time.

Mr. Woolwine said he had checked up on "countless" clues which had been brought to his attention, without definite results.

OFFERS SOLUTION OF VAST PROBLEM

Sir Philip Gibbs, Noted Publicist, Recommends Demobilization of Russian "Red Army"

Still another suggestion for the solution for the problem of world unrest, a solution working toward world reconstruction, is offered by Sir Philip Gibbs, to supplement the many which statesmen, politicians, economists, religionists and revolutionaries have already presented. In the concluding passages of the thoughtful and experience-inspired address which he gave last night for an attentive, but all too small audience at the Pantages Theatre, the noted war correspondent and publicist outlined his "plan" for the relief of Russia and, through Russia, the relief of a general and world-wide economic condition which is marked with danger to every section of civilization.

"My suggestion is for the British Empire, for France and Germany, and the United States, to make a business proposition to Russia, that they will give Russia economic aid,

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RAIDING IN ULSTER SERIOUSLY AFFECTS IRELAND'S AFFAIRS

Resulting Situation Causes Grave Alarm in London Official Circles—Evening Newspaper Declares Ireland Is on Brink of Civil War—Protection for Ulster Counties

EVACUATION HALT CAUSES ANXIETY

Government Explanation That Troops Are Kept Pending Investigation of Northern Necessities—Michael Collins Proposes Journey to London to Find Reasons for Stoppage

LONDON, Feb. 13.—The Irish situation since the raids over the Ulster border has steadily become worse, and no secret is made of the grave alarm with which it is viewed in official circles in London. Winston Spencer Churchill, Secretary for the Colonies, declared in the House this afternoon that the shooting of the Ulster special constables at Clones has greatly aggravated the situation.

The Evening Standard asserts that Ireland is on the brink of civil war, and quotes a member of the government as saying that, while the government hesitates to do anything which the Sinn Feiners could interpret as provocative, swift military preparations have already been made to prevent an armed invasion of Fermanagh and Tyrone.

In the light of the developments of the last few days, much significance is attached to the suspension today of the evacuation of British troops from Southern Irish ports. The Irish Office explains that the suspension was ordered pending a decision regarding the extent of the reinforcements to be sent to Ulster. Sir James Craig, Ulster Premier, announced tonight that the Ulster garrison of British troops was to be increased from ten battalions, the previous number, to fourteen.

Sir James Craig, the Ulster Premier, telegraphed the British government tonight asking what action "other than dispatching messages to Dublin" the government was taking, or had taken, to secure the return of the kidnapped loyalists.

Michael Collins head of the provisional government, in a message to the American Association for the Recognition of the Irish Republic, charges that a coup d'etat is being planned against the provisional government, and warns the association against assisting in another attempt to destroy the new government.

Mr. Collins informed the association that the alternative to the treaty is renewal of the warfare, and declared that the provisional government wanted the people themselves to decide the issue, adding that if they decided for war there need not be any doubt as to where he would stand.

In conformity with the decision to release Irish political prisoners in England, the government liberated 17 this afternoon. The release of the others is expected to follow shortly.

Disorders in Southern Ireland continue.

Mr. Collins Goes to London

DUBLIN, Feb. 13.—Michael Collins is perturbed over the suspension of the evacuation of British troops, and proposes to go to London tomorrow to ask the British Cabinet why. He informed the correspondents that he had learned at 10 o'clock tonight from the British representatives in Dublin that evacuation had been held up. When asked what he thought the reason was, he replied he did not know, adding: "But I am determined to see the thing put right."

He gave the correspondents the impression that he was aware that sinister influences were at work, and therefore intended to go to London to make sure there was no misunderstanding.

In conclusion, he declared: "In spite of undermining at home and enemies abroad, I mean to see the contract carried through."

Boundary Question

LONDON, Feb. 13.—Capt. Charles Craig, Unionist, for South Antrim, has given notice that when the second reading of the Free State bill is begun in the House of Commons on Thursday, he will move that the House decline to proceed with it until the government has given assurance that the provision for establishing a boundary commission should be eliminated from the agreement, or that any decision of the boundary commission shall take effect only with the approval of the Northern Parliament.

Messages From America

DUBLIN, Feb. 13.—Michael Collins has received a message from Chicago, which says:

"At a meeting of the members of sixteen councils in the second congressional district, representing over 18,000 members, expression of opinion was unanimous for majority rule in Ireland as in the United States, and for the support only of a government which received the sanction of the Irish people."

Mr. Collins received another message from Chicago saying that the Michael O'Hanrahan council of the American Association for the Recognition of the Irish Republic, with a membership of more than 3,000, greets him and pledges support of the government chosen by the Irish people.

FIUME IS SUBJECTED TO NEW DISTURBANCE

ROME, Feb. 13.—Dispatches from Fiume describe a serious situation there due to the antagonism between the Fascisti and the police forces organized by Mayor Zanella, who is accused of being friendly to the Croats.

The Fiume correspondent of The Popolo Romano says Croat bands are encamped outside the gates of Fiume and that Mayor Zanella tried to induce the carabineers and Italian troops to disarm the Fascisti, but failed. Zanella has wired the Italian Government for assistance.

LONDON, Feb. 13—Croat troops tried to capture the city of Fiume at midnight last night, but were repulsed, says a Central News dispatch from Rome today.

CALL PLEBISCITE ON HORSE RACING

Council Declines to Make Decision Itself and Will Submit Issue to Taxpayers—Refuse Exhibition Grant

A plebiscite to determine whether or not horse racing shall continue in Victoria will be submitted to the taxpayers on Friday, March 3, the day set for the aldermanic by-election.

Three factions expressed themselves at the Council meeting last night, but the pro-plebiscite party, supporting a recommendation brought in by the finance committee, carried the majority vote.

Aldermen Hayward and Perry fought for a resolution to sanction horse racing, while Alderman Patrick took a lone stand against horse racing, describing it as "bad business, pernicious, ridiculous and criminal."

The Council rejected the application of the British Columbia Agricultural Association for the usual grant of $5,000 for the annual Fall fair at the Willows. The finance committee reported against it, pointing out that the association had a balance in hand amounting to $8,139.

Mr. George Sangster, secretary of the association, told The Colonist that while it would be possible to hold an exhibition without the city's grant, it would necessarily be on a much smaller scale than formerly.

The Council had several letters before it from various organizations relating to the advisability of a continuance of horse rasing. Rev. William

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Ruffians in Belfast Kill Little Children

Slaughter by Bombs Thrown Into Streets—Some Twelve People Slain and Twenty Wounded by Rifle Shots—Assassins Operate Over Large Area in City

BELFAST, Feb. 13.—There was marked activity in Belfast tonight on the part of snipers. An unidentified man picked up wounded was taken to a hospital, but was found to be dead on his arrival there. Two constables were wounded in North Queen Street. It is remarkable that a number of girls are on the casualty list.

The snipers were concealed. They fired into Royal Avenue, the principal thoroughfare of the city, and tram cars had to dash past the danger spot.

A gang entered the saloon of Patrick Lamb, on York Street here, at noon today and attempted to hold him up. Lamb resisted and was shot and killed. About the same time a bartender in a neighboring saloon was shot and badly wounded.

While a dance of the Ancient Order of Hibernians was in progress in a hall near Cookstown, East Tyrone, last night, an attack by a party of armed men was made upon the hall. The Hibernians sallied out and replied with stones. Two persons were wounded by bullets. Local Unionist constables who were summoned drove away the attacking party, which the constables declared was composed of Sinn Feiners.

The two newspapermen from Belfast, who were arrested in the interior last week, reappeared in Belfast this afternoon. Their release was obtained through the interposition of Owen O'Duffy, the Irish republican army chief of staff. Although the reporters had been moved from point to point while held prisoner, they never once came in contact with the kidnapped Unionists.

A bomb thrown in Weaver Street tonight killed one child and so seriously wounded three other children that they are not expected to recover. There were numerous other casualties from the bomb, but as ambulances carried the injured to hospitals, the exact number or the nature of their injuries is not known.

Two men wounded during the shooting today died tonight in the hospital. It is said that the total number of persons wounded during the day was 50. A bomb thrown in Pride Street, Londonderry, tonight, wounded a man and broke many windows.

Beginning tonight, the curfew extending from 9 o'clock in the evening until 5 o'clock in the morning will be reimposed. This action was decided upon today in a conference between the lord mayor, the military commander and the police commissioner as a result of renewed disorders yesterday, which continued sporadically today.

LONDON, Feb. 13.—The week-end rioting in Belfast was continued today, the death roll from Saturday being about twelve killed and twenty or more wounded.

The shooting affrays in Belfast in the last 24 hours occurred over a widely extended area.

The gunmen have kept well under cover, and the police and soldiers patrolling in armored cars are having difficulty locating them.

DUBLIN, Feb. 13.—John Anderson, of Caledonia, and Joseph O'Donnell, of Tyrone, who were captured during the fight at the Clones station on Saturday, have been released, according to a statement made at Irish Republican army headquarters in Dublin tonight. It was added that the release of a number of other captured men is expected shortly.

At headquarters it was stated that special constables of the Northern Government, operating across the border on Sunday evening, fired into the houses of farmers in County Monaghan.

A public inquiry into the death of Commandant Fitzpatrick, of the Irish Republican army, who was killed during the fight, is to be held by the provisional government at Clones tomorrow.

The Irish Republican army has made three arrests in connection with the killing of Lieut. Wogan Brown. Michael Collins, head of the provisional government, said tonight: "Any we can prove guilty will be rapidly dealt with."

It is reported that a large number of the kidnapped Ulstermen have been removed from Ballybay to County Cavan.

"CHIVAREE" BRINGS SERIOUS RESULTS

VIGO, Spain, Feb. 13.—Eight persons were wounded today, two of them seriously, as a result of a protest by the villagers of Bora against the marriage of 76-year-old Juan Teniorla Cortegosa to a 16-year-old girl.

The villagers serenaded Cortegosa with kitchen utensils, whereupon the bridegroom, with his relatives and servants, attacked the protestors with sticks. To this the villagers replied with revolvers and knives.

Cortegosa and a brother of the bride were seriously wounded

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Will Deport Sixty-Three Radicals

NEW YORK, Feb. 13.—Ellis Island officials are today arranging for the deportation of 63 radicals just released from various federal prisons in the Middle West. Fourteen of these are women, two of them having infants.

Death of Saskatoon Doctor

SASKATOON, Feb. 13.—Dr. Dalton A. Creighton, a member of the medical profession, who was well known throughout the province, died at his home here on Satdrday following a lengthy illness. He was 31 years old.

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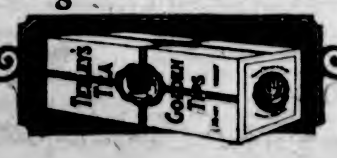

SEES NO UTILITY IN DEPARTMENT

Geddes Committee Declares Against That Dealing With Overseas Trade — Says It Does No Practical Good

LONDON, Feb. 13.—The Department of Overseas Trade, which constituted the first ministerial office held by Right Hon. Hamar Greenwood, now Chief Secretary for Ireland, evokes the criticism of the Geddes economy committee in its report issued last week.

The department was instituted with the idea of helping British trade to secure fresh business overseas, but the committee says: "This sort of canvassing is absolutely outside of the scope of ordinary business; that it should not be paid for by the taxpayers, and that a Government department in this country having no financial responsibility, in suggesting and recommending operations to the mercantile community, will do no practical good."

The report points out that the department numbers 396 members and costs the country in salaries alone £120,000, against £36,000 spent on the same objects by branches of the Foreign Office and the Board of Trade in 1913.

The Overseas Department, like the Admiralty, has issued a memorandum stating that its evolution was directly due to a combined and persisten demand of the business community.

The Department, while partly acknowledging that its operations have chiefly resulted only in securing small orders, urges that these eventually often bring larger ones.

WORK BEING RESUMED IN RAND GOLD MINES

JOHANNESBURG, Feb. 13. — There was a resumption of work on a small scale in the gold field this morning. The stamps were started in the Village Deep Mine and in the Durban Roodeport Mine, while some strikers resumed work at the East Rand City Deep Mine and in the Crown Mine. In mining circles the hope was expressed that operations in the other districts would be begun later in the day.

The crux of the position is said to be the attitude of the engine drivers, who will hold a meeting this afternoon.

The authorities have announced, in anticipating resumption of work at the mines, that picketing by strikers will not be allowed. Police protection will be given miners who desire to return to work.

JUDGMENT FREES GERMAN VESSELS

Privy Council Rules They Have Benefit of Article in The Hague Convention Which Was Not Set Aside

LONDON, Feb. 12.—The judicial committee of the Privy Council yesterday delivered a judgment affecting German property which Lord Sumner, who presided, declared was paradoxical.

Three German merchant ships were, at the outbreak of the war, seized in British ports and ordered by the prize court to be detained as prizes of war.

The Privy Council now sets aside that decree, declaring that the owners were entitled to benefit under The Hague convention, an article of which provides that merchant ships, on the outbreak of hostilities, should not be confiscated when in enemy ports, but merely detained if unable to leave within the recognized days of grace.

The judicial committee even holds that although Germany treated The Hague conventions with contempt where it suited her, as for instance in the use of poison gas and in her submarine warfare, this conduct conveyed no intimation that she intended to repudiate the convention obligations which would give Great Britain "the right to treat herself as released from her correlative obligations under The Hague conventions."

Lord Sumner in the course of his judgment said that while Germany may have flagrantly disregarded the obligations which fettered her freedom of action it did not follow that she intended to repudiate a convention under which in the long run she stood to gain largely.

GERMANY RESTRICTS EXPORTS OF PAPER

OTTAWA, Feb. 13.—The German foreign trade control bureau for the paper industry has decided to restrict export permits for a number of products of the paper and cardboard industry, and to forbid any increase in the exports of the other products of these branches, according to the Department of Trade and Commerce.

The stipulations regarding invoicing in foreign currency for shipments to countries with a higher exchange rate have been extended to a further number of paper products. This extension does not apply to exports to Egypt and the United States.

DOMINION REQUIRES BRITISH IMMIGRANTS

LONDON, Feb. 13.—The urgency of the initiation of a strong policy of state-aided empire settlement is emphasized by The Daily Telegraph in reviewing the annual report of the Overseas Settlement Committee.

This paper points out that Canada's utmost need is a large influx of settlers of British blood, for whom the country offers an almost limitless field. The foundation and development of Canadian prosperity has been due to such migration in the past, says the paper, and the Dominion desires to look to no other source for enlarged prosperity in the future.

CHINESE TONG MEN START ANOTHER WAR

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 13.—Chinese tong men throughout the West were reported under cover or on their guard today as the result of an apparent outbreak of a tong war last night, when two Chinese were killed and a third wounded in Seattle, one slain in Butte and one shot, probably fatally, in San Jose, Calif.

In every instance the shootings were carried out in characteristic tong war fashion, police reports indicated. In Butte and in Seattle the Chinese, said to have belonged to tongs, were shot down on the street with deadly accuracy. Seattle police have made five arrests in connection with the shooting. Low Mow, 72, said to be the only member of the Bing Kong tong in San Jose, was met at his door, according to a police report, by three young Chinese, who fired three bullets into his body.

While San Francisco has the largest Chinatown, and is headquarters for most of the tongs, no trouble had been reported here early today. The atmosphere in Chinatown was reported tense, however.

RAILWAY CHIEFS CONSIDER WAGES

Make Preliminary Review of Schedules and Working Conditions — No Decisions as to Changes Reached

MONTREAL, Feb. 13. — Wage schedules and working conditions affecting a hundred and forty thousand employees of Canadian railroads are under preliminary review by railroad officials. The survey is being carried out with the idea of fixing what changes will be sought by the companies this year. In some circles the report is current that rearrangements in 1922 will have to do largely with adjustments of working conditions rather than with hourly rates of pay.

A prominent official today declared no decision had been reached in this matter. It was understood by employes that any change would be mainly influenced by the extent to which business expanded or suffered depression during the Winter and Spring months. One railway chief declared today that there had been little change in general conditions, though in certain commodities traffic had shown some improvement.

News was received from the United States of the restoration of the ten-hour day for signalmen in that territory, and also of abolition of overtime rates for regular Sunday and holiday work.

Application of the same rulings in Canada would affect about a thousand employees between the Atlantic and the Pacific. One decision being watched for by Canadian roads is that of an application to wipe out overtime rates for those employees operating freight trains in the United States. A favorable verdict will probably form the basis of similar adjustments in the Spring revisions in Canada.

NOVA SCOTIA G.W.V.A. CENSURES MR. MacNEIL

TRURO, N.S., Feb. 13.—The Dominion Convention of the Great War Veterans' Association will be held in Digby, N.S., in the latter part of September of this year, and the Nova Scotia provincial convention will be held at the same place, concurrently. This was decided by the executive of the provincial command after a session lasting into the wee hours of Sunday morning.

At the meeting of the executive there was a long discussion over the political tactics of the parliamentary committee of the Great War Veterans' Association at Ottawa during the last Dominion convention.

The executive was unanimous in criticizing General Secretary C. G. MacNeil for giving an interview to the press charging the "Quebec bloc" with conspiracy to hand the National Railways over to the Canadian Pacific Railway and Montreal financial interests, and Dr. Whitman, vice-president of the Nova Scotia command, was instructed to meet the parliamentary committee on March 7 and protest against the committee giving countenance to the roorbach made in Toronto.

Bandits Secure Much Jewelry

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Feb. 13.—Jewelry estimated by the hotel management to be valued at $100,000, was obtained by bandits who early today looted the safety deposit boxes at the Washington Hotel. H. A. Crofton, night clerk, was compelled at the point of a revolver to open the safe. The jewelry was the property of the guests.

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MINING TOPICS ARE DISCUSSED

Annual Convention of B. C. Division of Institute Opens at Vancouver—Importance of Industry to Province

VANCOUVER, Feb. 13.—Delegates to the third annual convention of the B.C. division of the Canadian Institute of Mining and Metallurgy, went on record at their opening session today as opposing the proposal to admit "any person interested in mining" as a full fledged member of the Institute. The proposal was voiced in an article in the January number of the Institute's monthly bulletin, by D. C. Mackenzie, general secretary.

Discussion on the matter centred around the question of whether or not the institute should be maintained purely and simply as a technical body, or whether it should be thrown open to not only those with a technical knowledge of mining, but also those engaged in it from a purely business standpoint.

In the latter connection Dean Brock, of the University of British Columbia, urged the delegates to recognize the fact that mining was not a profession, but a business, and that it must be run as a business. He admitted quite frankly that both technical and non-technical members were needed to make the institute a success, but also urged that it would be necessary to have two classes provided for, one of technical and the other of non-technical members.

The discussion was brought to a head by the adoption unanimously of a resolution opposing "so radical a change in qualification for membership," and declaring in favor of preservation of the present status of membership.

His Honor Urges Development

Development of the natural resources of British Columbia is of vastly more importance than many other problems interesting the people of British Columbia just now, was the opinion of Lieutenant-Governor W. C. Nichol, in urging the need of a federal minister of mines who would be a practical man, and one who would give his time to the development especially of the mineral resources of the country. His Honor, in formally declaring the convention open, drew attention to the important bearing the mining industry had to the future of British Columbia.

He said that while it was encouraging from a certain standpoint to know that people outside the Province were willing to invest their money in B.C. mining property, it was not so encouraging to think that dividends declared on mining operations were not going to the people of this Province. Every man and woman was interested, more or less, in the progress of the mining industry, he pointed out, and mentioned at the same time that never in the history of the industry had British Columbia been mined so efficiently or so effectively.

In submitting his report, Secretary H. Mortimer Lamb alluded to the meetings held by the various branches in B.C., and also to the formation during the year of the mining industries council of B.C., composed of the various organizations interested in mining.

Mining Conditions

Fleet Robertson, Provincial mineralogist, tendered a report dealing with the mineral production of B.C. during 1921, in which he dealt with the output of each individual district, as well as mentioning the figures for the production of the Province as a whole.

The stagnation of the metal market and consequent diminution of production were the outstanding features of the situation during 1921, he said, emphasizing the fact that with Europe regulating the market, and the demand having dropped off there, it was not surprising that such a situation existed in British Columbia. Europe cannot buy just now, and he did not believe any improvement in the metal market would take place until the market on the other side of the Atlantic improved.

But considering the drop in the prices of metals, he declared the showing made by British Columbia, in producing over $23,000,000 worth of metals during the year, was very encouraging, and augured well for the future of the industry. He mentioned that Coast mines were producing the greater part of the minerals placed on the market by British Columbia last year, and also pointed out that the slackening up in the industry last year gave many miners the opportunity to do some prospecting, and others development work, which would show results later on.

ASTRONOMERS FIND NEW SPOTS ON SUN

WASHINGTON, Feb. 13. — New groups of sunspots, reported to have been discovered Saturday at Miami by Dr. David Todd, former director of the Amherst observatory, have been under observation for several days at the naval observatory here. Astronomers at the big institution declared they had found four groups of the new spots, two on Wednesday and the other two on Friday.

The astronomers were unwilling to predict auroral displays or telegrahphic disturbances as the result of the solar outbreak, but if any such do occur, they said, they may be looked for tonight. The two spots found Wednesday were too far west of the solar meridian to cause trouble; but the large and small groups seen Friday will reach the meridian today. It is when sunspots approach the solar meridian, it was said, that their influence is felt on the earth.

Upon the last occasion, in November, when sunspots caused electrical disturbances on the earth, brilliant auroral displays were seen for several days, and telegraphic and telephonic services were badly crippled in several portions of the world.

Many Auto Thefts in Gotham

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It is understood most of the shareholders were Ottawa people, and that the loss will not be heavy, but that it will fall largely on them.

C.P.R. DIRECTORS DECLARE DIVIDENDS

MONTREAL, Feb. 13.—At a meeting of directors of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company today, the following dividends were declared: On preference stock 2 per cent for the half-year ending December 31 last; on common stock 2 ½ per cent for the quarter ending December 31 last, being at the rate of seven per cent per annum from revenue and 3 per cent per annum from special income account.

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PREMIER OF SWEDEN PRAISES CONFERENCE

STOCKHOLM, Feb. 13.—Premier Branting, in an interview today on the Washington conference, said the result of the conference was more substantial and important than even the optimists could have expected. The fact that the leading powers were actually going to scrap, voluntarily, a large tonnage, even of new ships, must have a great effect directly and indirectly upon future armaments, he said.

He thought the Pacific pact would have far-reaching results in peaceful co-operation in the Far East.

The Premier hoped that the plans for the Genoa conference, which, he said, had an evident connection with the Washington conference, would ripen into a fixed programme for the financial and economic reconstruction of Europe.

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CLONES CONFLICT BRINGS DANGER

Dashes Hopes of Success in Allaying Trouble Over Kidnappings—Accounts of Affair Are Contradictory

LONDON, Feb. 13.—The situation in Ireland, which had seemed to be improving under the apparent efforts of Arthur Griffith and Michael Collins to obtain the release of the kidnapped Ulstermen, has become acutely dangerous as the result of the Clones affray on Saturday.

The Times' Dublin correspondent says dismay followed the news of the clash in which four special Ulster constables were killed and eight wounded and six made prisoner, and the leader of the Sinn Feiners, Matthew Fitzpatrick, shot dead. The provisional government was greatly disturbed, as the affair dashed the high hopes based upon its amnesty proclamation and the British decision to release all prisoners held for offences committed in England from Irish political motives prior to the truce in Ireland. Developments are awaited with the utmost anxiety.

There is some conflict in the accounts of how the Clones shooting was started. Irish republican army men at Clones and their sympathizers take the stand that armed and uniformed Ulster men had no right to enter Free State territory, and subjected themselves to arrest by so doing. It is pointed out that the Gaelic football players now in the Derry jail were arrested for a similar reason by the Ulsterites.

Conflicting Accounts

The account of the shooting from the same source is that Fitzpatrick approached the Ulster constables and ordered them to raise their hands, promising no violence if they surrendered. The only reply to this demand, it is said, was the shooting and killing of Fitzpatrick, upon which the republican army men fired.

In Belfast, on the other hand, it is contended that the rights of Southern Ireland were not infringed by sending the police from Belfast to Enniskillen by train, although the line passes for a few miles through Free State territory.

Regarding the kidnapped Ulstermen, The Times' Dublin correspondent reiterated that the provisional government is doing its utmost to procure their release, but says it seems to have been met with flat defiance from the Irish republican army in County Monaghan, which will only agree to exchange these Unionists for the football players in Derry.

O'Duffy's Statement

BELFAST, Feb. 13—Owen O'Duffy, chief of staff of the Irish republican army, who went to Clones yesterday to investigate Saturday night's disorders there, said in an interview today he found feeling very tense throughout Monaghan County because of the unlawful arrest and detention of the entire divisional staff of the republican army at Dromore, County Tyrone. (This probably has reference to a number of Gaelic football players wearing Irish republican army uniforms, who were arrested on January 15 while on their way from Monaghan to Londonderry. Several of them were declared by the Royal Irish Constabulary to have carried loaded revolvers, and arms were said to have been found in the automobiles in which they were riding.)

"In this area," said O'Duffy, "I succeeded in allaying the feeling somewhat. If the army officers are not released I cannot promise or guarantee peace in this part of the country. I cannot conceive that the British government, who cannot be relieved of responsibility in this matter, will continue to hold these men. If they do, I am full of the gravest fear for what may happen in the north."

The Morning Post's Dublin correspondent, while declaring that Griffith and Collins "mean well, and, if they got the chance, would do well," says their difficulties are overcoming them and that they are steadily losing ground to the republicans.

He adds: "Irish public opinion, always unstable, has decided that the de Valeraites are on top, and already is making up its mind to be on the winning side."

ONTARIO'S TREASURY HAS GOODLY SURPLUS

TORONTO, Feb. 12.—When Hon. Peter Smith, Provincial Treasurer, presents his budget statement to the Legislature he will be able to show a surplus of over $700,000, according to information obtained from a source closely in touch with the Government.

While expenditures, it is stated, will be in the region of $29,000,000, which is about $3,000,000 in excess of previous years, the revenues have shown notable increases in several departments, and the treasurer will be in a position to fulfill his expectations of a year ago, that this season he would have a credit balance to report.

For the twelve months ending October 31, 1920, it will be recalled, the deficit was over $800,000.

It is stated that $4,500,000 was derived during 1921 from succession duties.

SEES NO NECESSITY FOR POLICEWOMEN

LONDON, Feb. 13.—London women police are "not a necessity and are too costly to maintain as a luxury," Sir William Horwood, commissioner of the Metropolitan Police, has found, and as a result the women's patrol will be disbanded as soon as possible, according to The Daily Mail.

London has 100 policewomen, and maintenance of this force costs £50,000 annually. The government's special economy committee under Sir Eric Geddes, which reported its findings last week, also declared the utility of the women police "negligible."

Trade Mission to West Indies

TORONTO, Feb. 12.—A party of Canadian manufacturers and their wives left Toronto tonight for the West Indies to inquire into the prospects for improvement of trade between Canada and the Islands.

CHURCH SUFFERS BY LACK OF FUNDS

National Assembly Feels Obliged to Propose Some Economies — Decides on Closing of School for Clergy

LONDON, Feb. 12.—Questions of finance bulked large in the concluding sitting of the national assembly of the Church of England at Westminster.

It was decided, on motion of Earl Grey, to close the Knutsford clergy test school, which was established to help men to be trained for the ministry. The Bishop of Chichester, pleading for the retention of the school in a modified form, with fewer bursaries and civilian candidates, said the church was getting very short of clergymen, and the candidates would not nearly make up the shortage.

Sir Louis Dibden said the assembly had no money to carry on the ordinary business of the church, and had to ask bankers to lend money without security. Therefore it was impossible to assume new responsibilities and liabilities.

The assembly adopted a motion by Lord Hugh Cecil, on behalf of the Bishop of London, appointing a committee of fifteen members to prepare a measure dealing with London city churches and their revenues. Lord Hugh Cecil said that £1,700,000 could be obtained by removing nineteen of these churches.

THINKS APOLOGY DUE BY LORD LEE

London Times Refers Again to His Mistake in Quotation From Captain Castex on Subject of Submarines

LONDON, Feb. 13.—The London Times this morning says it is expected the return of the British delegation from the Washington conference will mean that steps will be taken to clear "the mystery which still surrounds the misleading quotation" from the article of Captain Castex, a French writer, by Lord Lee, of the British delegation. (Lord Lee, in his speech before the subcommittee on naval limitation at Washington, quoted Captain Castex as having in an article supported the German theory of submarine warfare.)

"It seems to be felt, and not without reason," says The Times, "that Lord Lee's action on this occasion and his subsequent failure to make an adequate apology when his error was pointed out, form the only blot on the excellent record of the British delegation at the Washington conference. In view of the divergence between the British and the original French points of view at Washington, both as regards capital ships and submarines, and in view also of the diplomatic discussions now proceeding between London and Paris, it is thought essential that this blot should be removed."

The newspaper adds that the good faith of Lord Lee is not questioned, but that it is felt that some public explanation of the error or some public apology should be made to "efface the unfortunate impression produced in France and England."

U. S. Trade in January

WASHINGTON, Feb. 13.—Exports in January aggregated $279,000,000, the lowest in seven months, and amounted to a decrease of about $15,000,000 from the month of December.

Field Marshal to Be Candidate

LONDON, Feb. 13.—Field Marshal Sir Henry Wilson has been adopted as the Unionist candidate for the vacancy in North Down in the Imperial Parliament.

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IRISH SITUATION IS MORE SERIOUS

Secretary Churchill in Commons Refers to Its Difficulties—Faith in Sincerity of Provisional Government

LONDON, Feb. 13.—Winston Spencer Churchill, the Colonial Secretary, in a statement in the House of Commons today on the Irish situation, said the Irish provisional government had expressed a desire for a meeting with the heads of the northern government. He added that such a conference would be most desirable to restore peace along the Ulster border, where the situation continued to be a source of serious anxiety.

Mr. Churchill, in previously answering a question, referred to the provisional government's assurance that everything was being done to insure the liberation of the kidnapped Unionists, and said:

"We believe that is their sincere wish and intention. The extent of their powers at the present time is much more doubtful. We are passing through a very difficult period, and until the Irish government is equipped with the proper constitutional powers we could not expect that they would have the necessary control."

He said the question of the use of troops in the area of Southern Ireland was a serious matter, and it might have the result of making things much worse. The withdrawal of troops from Ireland was one of the most difficult and delicate questions the Government had to solve, and he could assure the House that the Government would give most earnest consideration to that question.

He said necessary reinforcements would be sent to Ulster to prevent a repetition of the kidnapping events as soon as they were asked for and as soon as they could reach the spot.

DUBLIN, Feb. 13.—The evacuation of the British troops and other military forces from Dublin was suspended today. The sailing of the steamers due to leave for Holyhead and Liverpool with contingents on board was cancelled. It was thought the suspension might be due to the events in Ulster.

LONDON, Feb. 13.—It was said today at the Irish Office that the concentration of crown forces near the Irish ports and the assembling of transports to bring them to England was continuing, but that embarkation has been temporarily suspended to enable the commanders to determine how many reinforcements were required in Ulster and what units should be sent there. When these matters were determined, it was added, the withdrawals from the south would be resumed.

Italian Forces Lose in Tripoli

LONDON, Feb. 13.—Italian forces fighting rebels at Miscrata, Tripoli, have lost 25 killed and about 100 wounded, says a Central News dispatch from Rome today.

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The value of the gold and silver candlesticks, the gold-covered and jewelled ikons, the chalices and salvers involved, is variously estimated, but the weight of the precious metals and jewels alone is reported to total hundreds of millions of dollars.

MOUNTAIN CLIMBERS MEET WITH DISASTER

PORTLAND, Ore., Feb. 13—Twelve members of the Mazamas, Portland's mountain-climbing club, were swept by a snowslide 300 feet down the side of Mary's Peak, ten miles west of Corvallis, on Sunday. One woman was seriously hurt and two men injured.

The climbers, after reaching a peak yesterday in a blizzard, were sliding on the snow when the avalanche gave way, carrying with them terrific speed and landing them in a ravine buried by snow.

Other members of the party, which included twenty-five Mazamas and ten Oregon Agricultural College students, dug out those who were buried in the snow. First aid was applied to the injured and a stretcher constructed to carry out the woman who was seriously hurt.

AUSTRALIAN MEETING MAY BE ABANDONED

LONDON, Feb. 13.—Reuter's correspondent at Melbourne cables: "Doubtless owing to the men's unfavorable reception of the proposal of Premier Hughes, it is hinted that the suggested meeting between employers and organized labor to discuss the industrial crisis and the outlook for getting the cost of production down and settle other matters at issue, may be dropped."

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THE CLONES OUTRAGE.

The cold-blooded murder of Ulster constables at the Clones railway station is a happening which can hardly fail to intensify the feeling now prevalent in the North of Ireland. The perpetrators of the crime appear to have been members of the "Republican Army," and, since they were fully armed and even had a machine gun in their possession, it is evident that a portion of this "army" has got completely out of hand and does not owe allegiance to the Provisional Government. In the light of the many outrages perpetrated in Ulster during the last few weeks, and none of them seem to have been retaliations caused by any provocation, it is obvious that Sir James Craig is showing a restraint that would not be admirable under any other circumstances than that is illustrates how much he has the peace of Ireland at heart.

What is being done by sections of the "Republican Army" is obviously with the intention of keeping British troops in Ireland, as those who are still adhering to the republican idea know that the presence of the military will do more than anything else to keep the flame of passion burning. It will be difficult for Mr. de Valera to dissociate himself from the outrages that are being perpetrated. There is a definite split in the "Republican Army." A portion of it is still controlled by Mr. Collins and his Government. The balance does not owe allegiance to the Provisional Government. Probably the upshot will be that it will become impossible to use this "army" for the purpose of preserving order, and that an entirely new weapon, solely responsible to the Free State, will have to be fashioned. The "Republican Army," or as much of it as approves the Treaty, can hardly be expected to turn its weapons against those of this former rebel machine who still uphold the republican idea, and are seeking to achieve it by any means.

The Provisional Government is placed in a dilemma, in which its authority is being challenged almost coincident with its formation. Unless there are stern measures taken, there will be the spectacle of an Irish election within a few months in which gunmen will be the chief electoral agents, and in which measures will be taken to intimidate the people during the campaign and at the polls. The first task of the new Provisional Government is to quell treason within the ranks of the "Republican Army," and to give that body of men a new status, weeding out the malcontents and depriving them of their arms. There is no measure more essential to the true interests of Irish peace. Those who know Ulster realize that portion of the country will not remain quiescent for long under such outrages as that which happened at Clones.

INFLUENZA.

The prevalence of influenza in so many parts of the world, and its recurrence so regularly, is engaging widespread attention among the medical profession. England is beginning to recover from a pandemic of the disease which has been responsible for a large number of deaths. It is also being experienced on this continent, but not in the same acute way as in the Old Country, though in its lighter stages it is perhaps a good deal more prevalent than is generally believed. A theory is advanced that influenza recurs every thirty-three weeks, and this is being discussed among London doctors and is given prominence by the Medical Correspondent of The London Times, who points out that the belief is that while minor recurrences may be expected at periods of thirty-three weeks, Summer and Autumn epidemics do not materialize. Upon this basis of reasoning, which is deduced from actual statistics of the disease, it is noted that major outbreaks occur at intervals of about ten years. Prophesies affecting the future are that the next minor outbreak will be in October next, while about 1928 a major epidemic will be due.

"The question arises," says the Medical Correspondent of The London Times, "Are the great outbreaks and the lesser ones due to the same cause, the same organism? We are without positive information. There are those who regard all influenzas as being due to the Pfeiffer bacillus. Others regard this bacillus as a mere concomitant, and think the true agent is a minute 'filter-passer.' Perhaps the latter view has most upholders at present." He goes on to point out that there are a number of unsolved problems presented by the disease. The exact nature of the cause is not known. If the theory of the 33-week interval of its recurrence is correct, there is absolutely no knowledge of why this should be the case, nor has there been any plausible theory advanced as to why the disease fails to exert its effects in Summer and Autumn. There have been no antidotes to the infection discovered that can be described as infallible remedies, and but little has been done in the nature of preventive work, or else the influenza scourge would not be becoming so pronounced.

MR. WILLIAM C. WARD.

One who, in the olden times, for many years was a prominent figure in the business life of British Columbia has passed away in the person of Mr. William C. Ward. His association with this Province has dated from the early sixties, and throughout that long period his heart has always been here, although during recent years much of his time was spent in England. In the financial life of the Province he had been an active figure, and his prominent association with the Bank of British Columbia will be recalled by many old-timers. He was keenly interested in the development of the Province, always ready to give matured advice affecting investments, and he gave much thought to the problems which beset progress in Western Canada. In every sense he was a pioneer, and one who performed useful and honored work, and one, also, who came into contact with most, if not all, the prominent figures in British Columbia's history. Very great sympathy will be tendered to his family on the occasion of his death.

JUDGMENT RESERVED IN FERGUSON APPEAL

Mr. C. L. Harrison Argues for Crown That Liquor Law Was Properly Proclaimed and Intra Vires of Province

Judgment in the Court of Appeal was reserved yesterday, at the conclusion of the hearing of the appeal of John Ferguson from a conviction and sentence of six months' imprisonment, on a charge of having liquor for sale in the Gordon Hotel, Johnson Street, last August.

Mr. Frank Higgins, K.C., who appeared with Mr. R. C. Lowe for the appellant, concluded yesterday the attack on the constitutionality of the Government Liquor Act, begun by him last Friday. His main argument was that the law was ultra vires of the Province, under the powers conferred by the British North America Act, in that it trenched upon the jurisdiction of the Dominion.

Summing up his argument that the liquor law was in fact an unconstitutional attempt by the Province to impose taxation and collect revenue by entering into a trade monopoly, Mr. Higgins said that it could not be contended that the act was a regulation of public morals. It might have been so intended, but what the court must look at was what had actually been written into the law. The spirit of the liquor law plebiscite could have been carried into affect constitutionally, Mr. Higgins held; but it was not done. What had been done was to create a private monopoly of the liquor business for the Government; and this, said counsel, was beyond the legal powers of the Provincial Legislature.

Case for Crown

Mr. Claude L. Harrison, supporting the validity of the conviction on behalf of the Crown, replied in detail to the contention raised by Mr. Lowe, that the conviction was invalid because the act had not been properly proclaimed. Mr. Lowe had argued that the law was actually proclaimed by Order-in-Council, whereas its own provisions required that it should come into force by proclamation of the Lieutenant-Governor in person.

Mr. Harrison said that Section 115 of the Liquor Act provided that it should come into operation on the day fixed by the Lieutenant-Governor "by his proclamation." The Interpretation Act provided that when the Lieutenant-Governor must do any act by proclamation, such proclamation should be understood to be made under an Order-in-Council. This had been done in the case of the Liquor Act, contended Mr. Harrison; and the manner in which it had been done was obligatory upon the Lieutenant-Governor.

Replying to the contentions of Mr. Higgins, Mr. Harrison said that the liquor law was not passed for purposes of taxation or revenue. Its basic principle was essentially that of the former Prohibition Act, the principle of public welfare, which had been upheld by the Privy Council. It was intra vires of the Province because it came within the definition of the British North America Act, as being a matter of local or private nature within the Province. It had been upheld, Mr. Harrison pointed out, on that very ground, by Mr. Justice Macdonald. In the case of the Army and Navy Veterans, who had attacked the constitutionality of the act at a hearing in Vancouver.

Stool Pigeons Again

Mr. Harrison also replied to the criticisms directed against H. D. Craig and C. E. Brown, the stool pigeons of the Liquor Board, who went to the hotel to get evidence, and who swore that Ferguson served them for money with beer and whisky. The Crown was not in a position of relying for conviction upon the evidence of these men, said Mr. Harrison, but while it was true that they had been criticised, they had not been discredited. These men were special police agents, said counsel.

"Such men are always criticized," interposed Chief Justice Macdonald.

"We do not depend upon them here," said Mr. Harrison, "but we say that the learned trial judge was entitled to draw the inference, damaging to the appellant, he drew from the fact that seven barrels of beer had been consumed in that hotel within one month's time."

Following a brief reply by Mr. Lowe, who reiterated his argument that, if the evidence of the special police spies were eliminated—and he would submit that it must be disregarded—there was nothing else on which to base a conviction, the court announced that its judgment would be reserved. This was the last case on the list for hearing at the sittings, and the court adjourned sine die.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

No letter to the editor will be inserted except over the proper signature and address of the writer. This rule admits of no exceptions.

Unemployment

Sir,—It would be interesting at least, to a large percentage of citizens of this Province, if enlightenment were forthcoming as to the consistency of a policy forbidding the expenditure of public moneys to alleviate unemployment, if such funds are directed to work of a constructive nature.

Production, profitably here, seems out of the question for, perhaps, the next decade or generation. Premier Oliver nearly approached the truth when he declared, "You cannot in this Province produce at a cost at which you can exchange at, and realize the cost of production. That is the cause of unemployment today." Had Providence ordained the Premier a humanist, instead of a politician, he might have added the fundamental cause—encouragement of the corrupt and incompetent against honor and efficiency. Our past delinquency is today's penalty.

Misdirected charity only aggravates the present crisis and is a violation of the thrifty, industrious taxpayers' rights. It produces nothing in return, but destroys the pride and incentive for the best, in genuine workers, playing into the hands of the unscrupulous.

"Be your own most useful friend;
Cease on others to depend."

Opportunity should and must be given the needy, honorable worker, to adopt this motto to the exclusion of extremes, at present developing to an alarming extent.

Now, as works of construction appear to be prohibited, production problematical and charity undesirable, why not extend the meaning for employment to a point under a clause of improvements? Necessary repairs, cleaning, painting, etc., etc., in all public departments; repairing and replacing old furniture with new (made locally); fixing sidewalks, fencing, ditching, painting lamp standards; in fact, the hundred and one necessary items of work that under normal conditions might wait, but today could be executed at considerable discount in cost and create benefits to the really necessitous.

Some among our public men are forever dinning in our ears about tourist traffic. Vast sums have been spent in propaganda. What benefit have we law-abiding citizens to show for it all? Not even a decent bathing beach on which our women and children may revel in harmless and healthy sport during our "Blue Sundays," let alone attractions for our much-vaunted tourists.

I have met and catered for hundreds of tourists during the last ten years, and ninety per cent were in accord with their complaint that "ours was a beautiful country by nature, bruised by humanity." Now is the opportune time for our governments and municipalities to perform a plain and necessary duty, both to ourselves and visitors. If we are sincere in our desire to attract outsiders, I, endorsed by the opinion of many intelligent and businesslike people, suggest that it is high time that our beaches were cleared of filth and debris. All movable stones and rocks should be shifted back to retain the land-sliding shores, cordwood cut for the workers, roads rolled, drains attended to, and a general beautification of our main routes of travel attended to. This is only a minimum of preliminary in the establishing of a "resort," appealing to others for their patronage from other beauty spots of the world. A movement along these lines would establish a reputation for us beyond bluff, a justification in some little degree for money spent not wisely in the past by "putting the cart before the horse" in our tourist traffic management.

To those zealous citizens advocating municipal-owned golf links for working men (who have neither the time or cash to use them), public-owned swimming baths, Winter gardens, etc., guaranteed to work out a financial success, I would suggest they club together and form a private corporation while the time is ripe. Victoria under some such auspices might then legitimately claim some limited status as a "resort." The promoters of these schemes could smilingly pocket any dividends without envy, or more waste of breath. The less optimistic of the public could feel security from further taxation in that direction. Tourists could not fail to appreciate our interest in their welfare; their recommendation would redound to our prestige and material support. Last, but not least, at the present time, the "genuine" needy unemployed would see to it that their grave problem was simply and amicably solved.

A. CRESSWELL.

141 Eberts Street, Victoria, B. C., Feb. 8, 1922.

Christian Science

Sir,—The students of Christian Science in their public declarations do not resort to "specious platitudes," as our critic asserts in the issue of your paper of February 5, unless he classifies statements setting forth the infinitude of God in that category. It may also be observed that the foundations of Christianity should not be disturbed by a religion that teaches and enables its adherents to prove the omnipotence and omnipresence of God by healing the sick and casting out evil, the very essentials required by the Master. Christian Science is doing this, and in exact proportion to the degree that it is fulfilling these requirements, it is establishing Christianity.

Christian Science affirms the divinity of Christ, the divine nature or godliness which animated Jesus, but it does not, nor do the Scriptures, teach that Jesus is God. Jesus said: "I ascend unto my Father, and your Father; and to my God, and your God"; "My Father is greater than I"; "Why callest thou me good? there is none good but one, that is, God." By these and many other sayings he indicated beyond question that he did not consider himself to be God. In this connection, Mrs. Eddy writes in Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures (p. 333): "The word Christ is not properly a synonym for Jesus, though it is commonly so used. Jesus was a human name, which belonged to him in common with other Hebrew boys and men, for it is identical with the name Joshua, the renowned Hebrew leader. On the other hand, Christ is not a name so much as the divine title of Jesus. Christ expresses God's spiritual, eternal nature. The name is synonymous with Messiah, and alludes to the spirituality which is taught, illustrated and demonstrated in the life of which Christ Jesus was the embodiment. The proper name of our Master in the Greek was Jesus the Christ, but Christ Jesus better signifies the Godlike."

In affirming the divinity of the Christ, Christian Science does not claim "that a like divinity may result to man," as our critic insists. On page 336 of the book referred to, Mrs. Eddy stated: "God and man are not the same, but in the order of divine science God and man coexist and are eternal. God is the parent mind, and man is God's spiritual offspring." In the Bible we read: "So God created man in his own image, in the image of God created He him." Reason justifies the conclusion that the image cannot become the original, and Christian Science so teaches.

WELLINGTON BEATON.
Christian Science Committee on Publication.

2072 First Avenue West, Vancouver, B.C., Feb. 9, 1922.

Municipal Taxation

Sir,—At the present time, when municipalities are striving to bring their expenditure within the limits of their revenue, which can only be done either by reducing the former or increasing the latter, the question has again arisen with regard to the taxation of improvements and of a more equitable distribution of taxation, so that the greater portion of the same should not be thrown on the land.

The landowner might say, "Why should I bear the taxation and the improvements be exempt? My land does not entail any expense on the city for protection or otherwise; it is the improvements that create the necessity for good streets, water, light, a fire department, police force, etc., therefore they should bear the greater part of the cost."

On the other hand, those opposed to taxing improvements could say: The buildings have made the city what it is, as if it had not been for them there would not be a city or people here, and the land would be of little value. It is the enormous sum of money spent in the construction of buildings that has caused the land to have increase in value, therefore it is only fair that the gainer by our expenditure should bear the bulk of the taxation.

There is a great deal to be said in favor of both sides of the question, and it is difficult to find a solution of the same that would be fair and just to all interested, and satisfactory to all concerned, unless it be by the adoption of the system prevalent in the cities of Great Britain, which seems to work very satisfactorily, and is undoubtedly much better and more equitable than that which prevails here.

There the taxes are levied on the actual rental value of the property, and not on the property itself, although that is responsible for the payment of the same.

In the case of large buildings in which the owner has an office or a store, a fair rent for the same would be added to the rents from the other parts of the building, in order to arrive at the gross value for taxation. In private residences occupied by the owners, the rental for taxation would be the amount the house could be rented for if it were vacant.

In a city like Victoria, where there are a number of vacant lots, those lots would as at present be required to pay big taxes on their actual market value.

To ascertain the rental subject to taxation for the current year, the actual rent for the preceding year could be used.

One thing is absolutely certain, the city must have the money to carry on the work necessary for the safety and welfare of the citizens, and for the protection of our property; and it is for the Mayor and aldermen to consider how the necessary revenue can be obtained in a way that would be fair and just to all and that would not press too heavily on any portion of the community.

The proposal to impose a tax for the removal of garbage should, if it be not made too heavy, commend itself to all residents, as only those who derive benefits from it would have to pay for the same, and it is to the advantage of the health and cleanliness of the city that it should be removed at regular intervals and not be allowed to accumulate and become a nuisance to those in its vicinity.

CHAS. E. REDFERN.

618 St. John St., Victoria, B. C., Feb. 10, 1922.

Our Public Schools

Sir,—It must be extremely gratifying to all interested in the public weal to note the very brave and self-sacrificing effort being made by the members of our School Board towards the reduction of expenses in that important department of the public service. They have actually begun the cut in salaries of the staff under their control, but it has been whispered by the little bird that, as usual, they began at the wrong end. Let us examine into what results they have achieved. The janitors, whose wages range from $71 up, have been subjected to a cut of five and ten per cent, respectively, while, almost in the same breath, the Board turns round and adds $100 per month in the salary of an already high-paid official and makes the appointment of another nurse to the staff at a salary of $100 per month. Now, sir, if these whisperings be true, and it is reasonably supposed they are, who can answer the question as to whether this action by the School Board has lightened or added to the burden of the already overburdened taxpayer.

Is it possible that the School Board must first seek the consent of the teachers, and the staff generally, under their control, before they can, or if "they may," undertake a revision of salaries and other matters pertaining to expense, with a view to a reduction, if possible, in upkeep and maintenance. If this be true, then it is another case of "the tail wagging the dog," and at the same time, as assured proof that our School Board has lost its calling. If it ever had any to lose. I wonder whether or not the teachers are obliged to consult the classes under them "as to what lesson or task they would prefer for the following day?" We can quite easily imagine what the reply would be, however, and the same rule exactly applies in the case of the School Board and the staff, and the School Board and the City Council, while the same conditions exist between the City Council and the taxpayer. The taxpayer is the basis and foundation of the whole thing, and when he fails to come through, or ceases to turn his wad over to the City Treasurer, then, what next? The whole fabrication must fall. As Mayor Marchant intimated in his address to the School Board, that this would be the outcome unless united effort on the part of the whole civic control was not immediately exercised to divert the impending calamity.

A plebiscite has been suggested as to the advisability of the Affiliated Arts College. This course would seem most feasible and satisfactory, as it would place the responsibility on those who had to pay for the music. In fact, it was generally understood this matter was to have been submitted to the vote of the ratepayers at the last municipal election, particularly so as this big item of expense had been foisted upon them without their consent, and without even giving them an opportunity to question its utility, or their ability to meet the extra burden placed upon them.

Again, while the taxpayers of Victoria are saddled with this unnecessary burden, they are forced to pay their proportion in taxes towards the upkeep and maintenance of the British Columbia University in Vancouver, which covers all the ground taken, or supposed to be taken, up by this bunco institution termed as "The Affiliated Arts College," situated in the city of Victoria, and supported and kept up by its already overburdened taxpayers. This is another strong contention in favor of Ald. Woodward's suggestion that a plebiscite be taken with the least possible delay.

The cost of living in all departments has been greatly reduced, and in many lines has actually struck the normal mark, and it is up to the School Board, as well as all other civic departments, to govern themselves accordingly, get together and make a thorough and determined effort towards a complete revision along all avenues of expenditure, irrespective of threatened consequences, even though some, or even all, of these institutions had to close their doors for six, or even twelve, months, batter this than to be forced to close altogether or go into the hands of the receiver, which would be an everlasting disgrace, not only to our clever School Board but also to the city and country at large.

W. M. WILSON

1460 Grant Street, Victoria, B. C., February 10, 1922.

The Lord's Day Act

Sir,—Your editorial in last Sunday's Colonist, entitled Sabbath Observance, was for the most part sane and helpful. Certainly no one wants to see a repetition of the fiasco of a few years ago when an attempt was made to discredit the Lord's Day Act. The present Mayor will not permit himself to be involved in a similar farcical state of affairs.

There underly your editorial, however, what seem to me to be one of two errors or misunderstandings. One of these is the popular notion that the Lord's Day Act is of such a drastic nature that it would not be in the interests of the public welfare to enforce it in its entirety. As a matter of fact the sole function of the Act is to give everyone, so far as possible, one free day in the week; free from the customary work of the other days and free to use as he sees fit. It makes no reference to the use of Sunday for religion, except to permit the ordinary and customary work in connection with divine worship, just as it permits the work of a doctor—for reasons of necessity and mercy. Nor does it forbid amusement or entertainment on Sunday, unless it is commercialized for the purpose of making money. It is true, if the tobacconist, for instance, gets Sunday off through the enforcement of the Act, the man who has not made provision on Saturday for his Sunday smokes, may complain. But he ought to think of the other fellow who has an equal right to the day off with himself. It is important that this aspect of the Act should be seen, namely, that it is a law which gives rather than restricts liberty on Sunday.

The other misunderstanding which seems to underly your editorial is with relation to the function of the Attorney-General in granting or withholding fiats for prosecution. The position taken by the Hon. Mr. Farris was, to my mind, the correct one. He said in his correspondence with the Alliance and in the interviews he gave to the Victoria press a few years ago, that when any bona fide case of infraction of the Act was presented to him with the necessary evidence for the same by the Chief Constable or the Police Commissioners, he had no choice but to grant a fiat. It was not for him to discriminate between classes of offences. He did, however, condition his support of the enforcement of the Act upon the principle of fair play, i.e., he would not grant fiats to prosecute certain offenders while others of the same class of business were unmolested. I quite agreed with him in this.

The proposal you make that there should be secured from the Attorney-General by the Commissioners an understanding that he will support a programme which involves merely a partial enforcement of the Act does not seem to me to be a wise one. The Attorney-General is not likely to take a position publicly which would involve approval of non-enforcement of any particular section or sections of a law which is part of the criminal code of Canada.

I think the better plan would be for the Police Commissioners to go ahead with their programme, which includes, I hope, preliminary conferences with representatives of those forms of business which are not carried on against the Act on Sunday, to the end that there may not be any or but few prosecutions. If the Attorney-General refuses to support prosecution, which I have been assured by some of his friends he will not do, the duty of the Commissioners in the matter is fulfilled.

CHAS. H. HUESTIS,
Secretary, Lord's Day Alliance.

University Club, Vancouver B. C., Feb. 9, 1922.

An Acknowledgment

Sir,—On behalf of the Victoria and District Unemployed Council we desire to thank the following persons for their kindly consideration in donating useful clothing for the benefit of those in need of same: Mrs. Butler, W. K. Adams, J. C. F. Hyndman, Mrs. Green and six anonymous donors.

The B. C. Window Bakery's gift of several sacks of fresh bread and cakes, etc., again this week, is much appreciated. The stress of conditions affecting the working class is still unrelieved. Unemployment continues as acute as ever, thereby increasing the need for a generous response from those able to respond to this further appeal. Our store room, 623 Johnson Street, kindly loaned to us since about middle of last December by Mr. Duck, of Duck & Johnson, is open daily from 9 a.m. till 5 p.m. for the free distribution of all articles received. Phone 1341.

A. T. PURRY, Secy.,
Victoria and District Unemployed Council, 623 Johnson Street, Victoria, B.C., February 10, 1922.

A Mineral Tax

Sir,—It is reported the Government contemplates increasing the tax by 300 per cent on holders of Crown granted mineral claims. I submit that such action would prove extremely detrimental to the mining industry, for it would tend to "freeze out" the prospectors, who have devoted some years of time and thousands of dollars to discovering and developing their mineral claims in compliance with the Mineral Act.

Is it possible the Government can be a party to an iniquitous transaction by which it would play into the hands of a few unscrupulous promoters, eager to obtain mineral claims without paying fair prices to the legitimate owners?

The mining industry is notoriously retarded in various ways, and the law courts surely give sufficient evidence that the free-miner is already considerably handicapped by the insecurity of title deeds, brought about by a want of lucidity in the Mineral Act. It would be sad to see another false step added to the administration of our mining industry.

WM. HATHORN.

James Bay Hotel, Victoria, B.C., Feb. 13, 1922.

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Stock Dying—Letters from the Lower Fraser state that beeves are dying there in considerable numbers. One farmer has lost as many as ten, another eight, two others have lost five each, and so on.

The Quickest—H.M.S. Scylla made the run from Honolulu to Victoria last Summer in thirteen days, under sail, which is the shortest trip ever made between the two ports.

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CALL PLEBISCITE ON HORSE RACING

(Continued from Page 1.)

Stevenson, in behalf of the Ministerial Association, asked the Council to postpone action until such time as the association had considered the matter. The Retail Merchants' Association opposed horse racing on the ground that it took money out of the city, and resulted in business depression. The Vancouver Island Thoroughbred Horse Breeders' Association urged the Council to encourage racing by allowing pari-mutuel betting, pointing out that the horse breeding industry would be seriously hit if racing were to be discontinued. The letter, which was signed by T. A. Cresswell, secretary, discussed at considerable length the importance of the horse as an industrial factor, and asserted that there was "an undoubted and overwhelming demand" on the part of the public for horse racing in Victoria. Mr. B. Carley offered the city $5,000 for the lease of the Willows track and grounds this year for the purpose of putting on two weeks of horse racing.

Mayor Marchant stated that the result of the plebiscite would not necessarily bind the Council, but it would be valuable as an indication of public opinion.

Alderman Hayward was doubtful whether the Council could hold a plebiscite without a petition having been signed. He moved an amendment that horse racing be sanctioned this year.

"We shouldn't run to the people for a mandate every time some little thing comes along," declared the alderman. "We were elected to make decisions, and not to refer things back to the people who sent us here."

Alderman Perry seconded the resolution, stating that the Governments had sanctioned pari-mutuel betting, and that races would be held here with or without the Council's consent.

"If the Council has any regard for economy, there will be no by-election," said Alderman Patrick, who moved that horse racing be banned altogether. He believed that either ex-Alderman Sangster or ex-Alderman Sargent, who narrowly missed election in January, would be returned by acclamation.

There was no seconder for the Patrick motion.

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DR. DAVID LA BAU TERMINATES OWN LIFE

Prominent Local Physician Found Dead in His Rooms, Campbell Block, With Bullet Wound in Head

Lying in a reclining position on the bed in his living quarters adjoining his suite of offices on the third floor of the Campbell Building, corner of Fort and Douglas Streets, the body of Dr. David La Bau, one of the leading physicians of Victoria, was found on Sunday morning at 9:45 o'clock by the janitor of the building and the Chinese cook employed by Dr. La Bau. A gaping bullet wound in the right temple and another on the rear left side where the bullet emerged, was the cause of death. A Colt's revolver, of .41 calibre, six-chambers, was resting on the body under the right hand. All chambers contained unexploded cartridges except one which held an empty shell. The bullet which ended Dr. La Bau's life was found embedded in the wall at the rear of the bed. A note which was left by the physician addressed to Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Brown, Moss Street, indicated that Dr. La Bau had taken his own life.

When Chief of Police Fry and Sergeant Blackstock, in response to the summons on Sunday morning from Clifford Braithwaite engineer of the building arrived, they found the body of Dr. La Bau, fully dressed, reclining on the top of the bed, the upper portion propped up against three pillows, and the right foot resting on the floor. Death must have been instantaneous.

Evidence secured by the police would indicate that Dr. La Bau shot himself sometime during Thursday night, a copy of the afternoon paper of that day being found in his rooms, though, so far as known, no one saw him during Wednesday around his office and on that day as well as up to Sunday morning his living quarters had been locked. The fact that he had intimated on Wednesday to the nurse he employed at his offices that he might go to Vancouver, and that on previous occasions he had been away for a day or two, led the nurse to believe that he had done so, and hence the fact of his living quarters being locked created no suspicion that anything was wrong.

The suspicions of Lee Jack Man, Chinese cook whose duty it was to appear at Dr. La Bau's suite of rooms every morning and cook his breakfast, led to the discovery of the tragedy. The offices consisted of ten rooms, seven on the Douglas Street side of the block, the most southerly of which was the bedroom, and adjoining this was a sitting-room. Across the hallway was the kitchen. The Chinese cook informed the police that on Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday mornings he had cooked breakfast as usual and placed it on the table in the sitting-room, then knocking on the bedroom door to notify Dr. La Bau that the meal was ready. He received no reply on any morning and on Sunday morning, getting no reply, he became suspicious and summoned Janitor Skinner, who opened the door with a pass key and disclosed the tragedy. Skinner notified Engineer Braithwaite, who called the police.

Leaves Letters

While Dr. La Bau was, apparently, not seen about his offices on Wednesday, it is known that on the evening of that day he visited the home of a patient of his and appeared in his accustomed spirits. From what the police have ascertained it must have been during Thursday night that he took his own life. On a desk near the bed were three letters, one to Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Brown, 151 Moss Street, containing the brief note giving intimation of his intention to do away with himself and concluding with the expression "bye bye," but unsigned; one to Miss Gladys Croft, 57 South Vancouver Street, his office nurse, and the third to Miss Vera Brown, of Esquimalt. These letters were handed over to the coroner. Miss Croft attended at the offices daily and carried out her duties. The fact that the doctor's living quarters remained securely locked aroused no suspicion in her mind.

Recent domestic as well as financial troubles are the only reasons friends of the late Dr. La Bau can give for his act. On Friday, Deputy Sheriff Robert Sangster took possession of Dr. La Bau's offices under authority of a writ of fieri facias on account of Mrs. La Bau's costs in the recent unsuccessful divorce action brought by the doctor. The amount claimed was for costs of the action amounting to $574. When the deputy sheriff went on Friday morning to make the seizure Dr. La Bau's bedroom was locked and the nurse was in charge of the offices. She was unable to say where Dr. La Bau was, but stated it was no uncommon thing for him to be away two or three days at a time without her knowing where he was. The deputy sheriff called again on Saturday and left a man in possession of the premises. Even at that late date there was not the slightest suspicion that Dr. La Bau was lying dead in the adjoining room.

Two of the letters written by Dr. La Bau were written on Wednesday. That to Nurse Croft contained her wages.

When the police arrived the electric heater in the bedroom was on, and the room almost stifling with heat. The windows were down and the blinds drawn. A bunch of keys, $5.28 in cash and some papers were found in the pockets of the clothing.

Prominent Physician

Dr. La Bau was one of the leading physicians and surgeons of Victoria, and had practiced here for about twelve years. He graduated in 1880 from Bellevue Hospital, New York, in surgery. In 1887 he came to the Kootenay country, and two years later opened practice in Nelson, being the first medical health officer of that city. He formed a partnership with Dr. Alexander Forin, now of Edmonton. In 1896 he was married to Miss Hayward, of Nelson, she and a married daughter surviving. In 1907 Dr. La Bau moved to Spokane, where he practiced for some time before coming to Victoria. For some years past he enjoyed a very extensive practice in this city, and made a host of friends, who are shocked at the tragedy. His offices in the Campbell Block were exceptionally well appointed, his X-ray equipment being one of the best in the country. His ability as a surgeon was widely recognized. He was a licentiate of the New York College of Physicians and Surgeons. He was about 58 years of age.

An inquest will be held this morning at 11 o'clock by Coroner Hart at the undertaking rooms of the B.C. Funeral Furnishing Company, where the body was taken by the police. Pending the inquest, funeral arrangements will not be made.

ESTEEMED RESIDENT SUCCUMBS TO STROKE

Mrs. P. J. Hickey Died Suddenly on Sunday Morning Following Brief Illness—Did Much Good in Quiet Way

A wide circle of friends has received with a sense of great shock the news of the death early on Sunday morning of Catherine Frances Hickey, wife of Captain P. J. Hickey. Mrs. Hickey had been in her usual health until Saturday afternoon, when she suddenly suffered a paralytic stroke. Without regaining consciousness she passed away at 4:30 the following morning, several of the members of the family being at the bedside at the end. The remains are still lying at the family residence, 283 Michigan Street, where death took place, and the funeral will take place from there tomorrow morning, proceeding at 9 o'clock to St. Andrew's Cathedral, where requiem high mass will be sung. Interment will be at Ross Bay.

Having lived in Victoria for the last twenty-nine years, the late Mrs. Hickey had many intimate personal friends and a wide circle of acquaintances in the city. Born at Boston, Mass., on April 19, 1858, of Newfoundland parents, she was taken by them back to their home when she was still in her infancy, and the greater part of her childhood and young womanhood she lived with them at Tor Bay, near St. John's. With her husband she came to British Columbia in 1891, their first home being in Vancouver, although about two years later they moved to Victoria, remaining here ever since. She was a worker in several philanthropic and benevolent organizations connected with her church and outside, and in an unassuming way did a great deal of good in the many years she had lived here.

Beside the husband there survive four daughters and two sons. The daughters are Mrs. A. E. Sargison, of San Francisco, Mrs. R. G. Baird, of Vancouver, Mrs. P. L. O'Connell and Gertrude, Victoria, of this city. The sons are Richard Joseph Hickey, of the SS. Empress of Russia, and John David Hickey, of The Colonist staff.

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OMINECA BY-ELECTION FIXED FOR MARCH 8

Hon. T. D. Pattullo, Minister of Lands, Expresses Confidence That Government Will Easily Capture Both Seats

The by-election in the Omineca riding consequent upon the appointment of the sitting member, Hon. A. M. Manson, to the portfolio of Attorney-General, will take place on March 8, according to a telegram received yesterday morning at the office of the Provincial Secretary from the returning officer. Owing to delay in the arrival of the writ and proclamations the nomination day, originally fixed for the 18th inst., has been put forward to the 25th inst.

In the Revelstoke by-election, at which the new Minister of Public Works, Hon. W. H. Sutherland, will seek re-election, opposed by Mr. Andrew McIntyre, Conservative, nominations will take place on the 20th inst. and the election on the 27th.

Hon. T. D. Pattullo, Minister of Lands, returned yesterday from Revelstoke where he went last week to assist Hon. Dr. Sutherland in the preliminary work of the latter's campaign.

"Everything is fine. I can't see anything for it but Dr. Sutherland's election," said the Minister of Lands yesterday. "His election is assured by a large majority."

Hon. Mr. Pattullo doubted if Hon. Mr. Manson would be opposed in the Omineca riding where, he said, the opposition are having difficulty in securing a candidate. The new Attorney-General, he held, is so popular in that section that he is certain even if there is a contest to be returned.

Hon. J. D. MacLean, Acting Premier, left on Sunday night for Revelstoke where he will assist the Minister of Public Works in his campaign, speaking at a number of points in the riding.

Hon. Mr. Pattullo expects to leave shortly for a trip to the North, to Prince Rupert and points along the line of the G. T. P., and will probably, if it proves necessary, assist Hon. Mr. Manson in his campaign. Afterwards he will go east to Ottawa where he will confer with the federal authorities on a number of matters, meet the interests who are behind the big pulp and paper project to be located at Prince George, and discuss with the federal authorities immigration matters.

In connection with this last matter the Minister referred to the early session of the Imperial House, at which will be brought down legislation to constitute a body which will carry out the proposed Imperial plan for aiding immigration to overseas dominions. The Minister, when in Great Britain last year, discussed a plan whereunder a number of families of British agriculturists could be brought to British Columbia and located on Government lands in the Stuart Lake section. The idea is to hand over to the organization to be created under the Imperial legislation lands in that section at cost price and arrange a programme which would provide for the encouragement of the settlers and assure them of every opportunity to make good. The details of this plan would be worked out with the Imperial organization, and in connection therewith the Minister may later make another visit to the Old Country.

OBITUARY NOTICES

EWER—The remains of the late William Henry Ewer, who passed away at his daughter's residence Friday, February 10, were laid to rest yesterday afternoon. The cortege, leaving the Thomson Funeral Home, 1625 Quadra Street at 1:30 o'clock, proceeded to St. Mark's Church, where service was held at 2 o'clock, Rev. H. V. Hitchcox officiating. The hymns sung were "For Ever With the Lord" and "Lead, Kindly Light." There were many friends present at the church, and the casket was covered with a profusion of beautiful floral tributes, showing the high esteem in which the late Mr. Ewer was held. The following acted as pallbearers: Messrs. W. H. Garcin, W. Martin, F. T. Rogers, D. C. Holcetson, W. Craig, C. J. Meadows. Interment was in Ross Bay Cemetery.

BIRD—The death took place at an early hour Sunday morning at his home, 2085 Chaucer Street, of Arthur J. Bird, husband of Mrs. Hilda Bird, aged forty-one years. He was born in London, England, and had been a resident of this city for the past twenty-four years. He is survived by his widow, three children, Ruby, Arthur (Sonny) and Hilda (Latsy), one sister, Mrs. Kenneth Dodge, of Victoria, and one brother and five sisters in England. He came to this city in 1902, and was employed by the B.C. Electric for six years, and for the past fourteen years he had been a mail carrier. For several years he was president of the F.A.L.C., during which time he was elected to represent his branch at the Dominion convention on three different occasions. The late Mr. Bird was a highly respected citizen, and the news of his death will be a great shock to his many friends, as all who knew him will remember him as always ready to assist in any good work. The funeral will take place on Wednesday afternoon, the 15th inst., the cortege leaving the Sands Funeral Chapel at 2:10 o'clock, and a 3 o'clock services will be conducted at St. Mary's Church, Oak Bay. Rev. G. H. Andrews will officiate, and interment will be made at Ross Bay Cemetery.

WONG—The funeral of Wong Fat took place from the B.C. Funeral Parlors yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock, many friends attending. The remains were interred in the Chinese Cemetery.

DIXON—The funeral of the late Mrs. Mary Dixon will take place this afternoon from the B.C. Funeral Chapel at 2 o'clock where service will be held by Rev. Mr. Dinsmock. Interment will be made in Ross Bay Cemetery.

DELAYARD—The death occurred Sunday at the Victoria Private Hospital of Mrs. Mary M. Delayard, wife of Mr. John Delayard, also their infant son. The late Mrs. Delayard was thirty years of age, and had only been in the city a few days. She was born in Lens, France. Her husband survives her. The funeral took place yesterday afternoon from the B.C. Funeral Chapel at 2:45, proceeding to St. Andrew's Cathedral, where services were conducted by Rev. Father McLellan. The remains were laid to rest in Ross Bay Cemetery.

BRATT—Funeral service over the remains of the late Mr. Jesse Bratt was held yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock in the B.C. Funeral Chapel and a large attendance of friends was present. Rev. Dr. Sipprell officiated. Two hymns were rendered, "Rock of Ages" and "Nearer, My God, to Thee." The remains will be forwarded to Gray, Sask., for interment. A son of the deceased will accompany the body.

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B.C. Electric Conference—Aldermen Patrick and Gillespie will represent the city at the conference of the Union of B.C. Municipalities, to be held tomorrow afternoon in Vancouver, for the purpose of considering what action should be taken in respect to the B.C. Electric Railway's application for a Federal charter under control of the Board of Railway Commissioners. Ald. Todd counselled against representation, arguing that it was a Mainland conference, that Victoria's interests would be different, and that Mr. F. A. McDiarmid, the Union's counsel, was now seeking to attack something which he himself had tried to have enacted three years ago.

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City and District in Brief

Sunday Alarms — Three alarms called the fire department to as many fires on Sunday, none of which caused any serious damage.

Y.W.C.A. Tag Day—On Saturday next, the 18th inst., the Young Women's Christian Association will hold a tag day for the benefit of the new building fund.

Municipalities Must Pay—The City Council decided last night to charge the Municipalities of Saanich, Oak Bay and Esquimalt $200 a year for the use of the city police station.

Bridge Victoria Arm—The City Council will arrange to have a committee confer with the Victoria West Brotherhood regarding the latter organization's plan to bridge Victoria Arm.

School of Machine Guns—Announcement is made that a Provisional School of Machine Guns will be held at Nanaimo, B.C., commencing on Monday, February 20. The school will be conducted for a period of six weeks, terminating Friday, March 31.

Elks' Luncheon—The members of the B. O. E. will have a lunch at their clubrooms on Wednesday, at 1 o'clock, to which all belonging to the fraternity are invited. There will be a programme of music and certain speakers will address the gathering.

New Cemetery—Ald. Hayward last night moved that the Council ask the Municipality of Saanich to hasten its appointment of an intermunicipal committee to meet with the Victoria representatives in an effort to get negotiations for a new municipal cemetery actively under way.

"The Other Wise Man"—Under the auspices of the Young People's Society, an illustrated lecture, entitled, "The Other Wise Man," will be given in the James Bay Methodist Church this evening, by Mr. F. W. Davey. It will begin at eight o'clock and an offering will be taken.

Minister Will Speak—Hon. William Sloan, Minister of Mines, left last night for Vancouver, where he will attend the meeting of the Canadian Mining Institute and deliver an address. The minister has been suffering from a severe cold for the past day or two.

British-Israel Club—"The Return of the Jews to Jerusalem and the Revealing of the House of Israel" (Ten Tribes), second part, a paper prepared by late Rev. E. P. Wilson (C. of E.), will be read and discussed at the British-Israel Book Depot, 857 Fort Street, near Quadra, this evening at 8 o'clock.

Rabbit Breeders Meet—The regular monthly meeting of the Victoria and District Rabbit Breeders' Association will be held in the Y.M.C.A. Building, Tuesday evening, February 14, at 8 o'clock, when matters of an important nature will be discussed. A large attendance requested. All breeders and fanciers are invited.

Local Council of Women—Members of the Local Council of Women are reminded that Mrs. W. J. H. Holmes and Mrs. Gavin H. Burns will be at Alexandra clubroom, fourth floor Pemberton Block, on Thursday and Friday, February 16 and 17, from 2 to 5 p.m., as previously advised.

Columbia Diocesan W.A.—The regular monthly meeting of the Columbia Diocesan W.A. Board will be held at St. Saviour's Parish Room on Friday, February 17, at 11 a.m. Noonday prayers and an address by the rector, Rev. R. Connell, rural dean, will be held. The afternoon session will be held at 2 o'clock.

Kiwanis Valentine Party — The Kiwanis Club's weekly luncheon today will take the form of a Valentine party. Each member is to take along a Valentine, and these will be taken in charge by the committee of the day for use in ways mysterious. Mr. E. Petch will be the vocal soloist at the luncheon, while Mr. A. E. Sprange will play violin selections.

Mr. Maynard Lectures—"An 11-Year-Old Boy's Experience in the Early Days of the Cariboo Country" is the subject of a lantern slide lecture to be given by Mr. A. H. Maynard at the Wilkinson Road Methodist Church this evening, under the auspices of the Mens Brotherhood of the church. Collection in aid of charity.

London and One-Man Car—In a recent issue of The Daily Sketch, London, appears two photographs of a pay-as-you-enter one-man car, with which type the London United Tramways are experimenting. The motorman-conductor appears to have a small counter between him and the patrons, and it is on this, evidently, that fare transactions take place.

Cloverdale P.-T.—Under the auspices of Cloverdale Parent-Teachers' Association, a progressive "500" card party will be held at the Cloverdale School on Friday evening next at 8 o'clock, the proceeds to go to purchase of sporting equipment for the school. Tickets may be obtained from Mr. E. Hawks, W. P. Jeune, or any of the school football team.

Course in Home Nursing — Commencing on Thursday evening next at the Victorian Order of Nurses' headquarters, Rockland Avenue, Dr. Price, City Health Officer, will hold a series of lectures on "Home Nursing for a class of volunteer nurses which has completed the St. John Ambulance Association course in this subject.

Canadian Scottish—The regular weekly battalion parade of the 15th Canadian Scottish Regiment will take place tonight at 8 o'clock, in the Armory, where the companies will fall in on their respective parade grounds. Dress will be service dress for all ranks. The pipe band will hold a practice tonight at the New Drill Hall at 8 o'clock.

Painters Protest—A mass meeting of painters was held at the Trades and Labor Hall last night, which adopted a protest against the proposed reduction of wages as published by the Builders' Exchange. The meeting was fairly representative of the local painters. Another meeting will be held on Thursday evening at eight o'clock, prior to the proposed reduction going into force.

Chinese Arrested—Bark Sing and Low Sam Kin, Chinese, were arrested yesterday afternoon by Sergeant Inspector Heatley and Constable Palmer in premises over 518 Fisgard Street, the former being booked on a charge of being in possession of opium and the latter with being found in an opium den. They will be arraigned in the police court this morning. Bark Sing was released on $500 bail and Low Sam Kin on $50.

Sponsors for Sun Room—In order to remove an erroneous impression, it is to be remembered that the erection of the Sun Room for the benefit of the patients of the Tubercular Ward of the Jubilee Hospital is the project of the Florence Nightingale Chapter, I.O.D.E., who have already received donations from friends and organizations in sympathy with the effort.

Examination for Promotion — A promotion examination will be conducted at the Work Point Barracks, Esquimalt, commencing on Monday, April 3. The following officers have been detailed to supervise the examinations: Major F. Homer Dixon, D.S.O., L.S.H., president, and Major J. C. Britton, R.C.M.G. Brigade, and Major M. R. N. Cobbett, R.C.G.A., members.

Liquor Charge Remanded—Lee Kim was charged in the City Police Court yesterday with having unsealed liquor, contrary to the provisions of the Government Liquor Act, at his residence at 730 Princess Avenue. The liquor involved in the seizure made by the city police comprises 100 cases of Chinese whisky. Mr. J. S. Brandon, appearing for the defence, obtained a remand of the case until next Friday.

Bridge Bonds Taken—The City Council received offers from six different firms on a $101,000 lot of Johnson Street Bridge bonds last night, and accepted the bid of the Royal Securities Corporation of 99.367 and accrued interest, Victoria delivery. Other bids were: British American Bond Corporation, 97; Gillespie, Hart & Todd, 97.05; Pemberton & Son, 97.937; R. P. Clark & Co., 98.07; A. E. Ames & Company, 98.43.

Lot Conscription — Although the Public Utilities Committee reported to the Council against lot conscription this year, the Council referred the report back to the committee, several members protesting that to deny the privileges of lot cultivation this year would be unreasonable, in view of the widespread unemployment. The city will offer plowing, discing and harrowing services at $2.50, $1 and $1 a lot respectively.

Friendship Club Dance — The Friendship Club dance, held in the K. of P. Hall on Saturday evening last, proved a big success, despite the inclemency of the weather. A large number of members was in attendance and spent an enjoyable evening dancing to the strains of Oxard's orchestra. On account of the demand for more invitations, the management wish to announce that more have been printed and same can be obtained by phoning 1105.

Buffaloes to Organize—At a meeting held last evening in the Hanley Building it was definitely decided to organize a lodge of the Royal Antediluvian Order of Buffaloes here on an early date, to be known as Victoria Lodge No. 1, R.A.O.B. Notices will be given in the press of the grand installation meeting. Last night's meeting was presided over by Mr. A. Fagg. It was decided to hold a further gathering in the Hanley Building on February 27 at eight o'clock.

Women's Progressive Conservative Club—Under the auspices of the Women's Progressive Conservative Club a meeting, to be followed by a military five hundred and concert, will be held tomorrow evening at the Sailors' Club, Esquimalt. The chair will be taken at 7:30 by Reeve Lockley, and there will be two speakers before the affair breaks up into a card party at 8:30. Good prizes are being offered.

Army Club—The Army Club will meet tonight, at 6:15 o'clock, in the Y.M.C.A., Blanshard Street. After supper has been enjoyed, a paper will be read on "Forms of Service," by Mr. Paul Rising. The affair will be observed as "Magazine Night," when a newspaper edited by members of the club during the past few days will be circulated. Other interesting features will be introduced during the meeting, which every member is urged to attend.

Thanks Contributors—Mr. George J. Cook, who convened the successful card tournament which was held on Saturday night in aid of a destitute family in Esquimalt, wishes to thank the following for their generosity in contributing prizes and otherwise assisting with the affair: Mother Ranns, Dr. Poyntz, People's Grocery, and Messrs. Angus, Ralph Stevens, Bert Manthrop, Blythe, R. Hodgson, G. Neilson, D. H. E. Pickard and Dr. McCallum.

Society of Friends—"Does Opportunity Make the Man, or the Man the Opportunity" will be the subject of a lecture to be given by Leanah Hobson, of Everett, Washington, at the Friends' meeting house, Fern Street, Friday evening next, at 8 o'clock. Leanah Hobson has spent twenty-eight years in pastoral and evangelistic service, in which time she has covered forty states and a great portion of the British Isles. The entire year of 1913 was spent in England and Ireland doing evangelistic work.

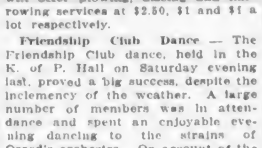
Esquimalt Unemployed—A meeting of the executive committee of the Esquimalt Unemployed Association was held on Sunday afternoon at the home of Mr. G. J. Cook, 527 Nelson Street. Messrs. J. Lindsey, A. Meade and George J. Cook were appointed to lay the unemployed men's case before the Esquimalt Council at its meeting on Monday, February 20. The secretary was instructed to arrange for an interview with Reeve Lockley previous to the council meeting. This has been done, and the Reeve has promised to receive the said delegation next Monday.

Appeal Sittings Close—The Court of Appeal adjourned sine die yesterday afternoon, after sittings in this city which occupied five weeks. Twenty-five cases were heard, in the majority of which judgment of the court was reserved. Among the more important issues involved were the validity of the Government Liquor Act, and the right of appeal by way of Habeas Corpus proceedings from decisions of a Government Immigration Board of Inquiry, judgments on which have still to be handed down. The court will convene again in Vancouver next month.

Russian Famine Relief—Mr. F. A. Graham, secretary of the Canadian Famine Relief Committee for the drought-stricken in in Soviet Russia, received last evening a unanimous resolution from the unemployed of Victoria to the following effect: "Resolved: That we, the unemployed of Victoria and district, recognise the greater need of the starving people of Russia, and we will render all the assistance possible to the Victoria branch of the Canadian Famine Relief Committee during their drive for funds. (Signed) A. T. Purry, sec., on behalf of the Victoria and District Unemployed Council; Mrs. J. Stevenson, Women's Auxiliary."

In County Court—Judgment was reserved by His Honor Judge Lampman in the County Court yesterday, following trial of the action of F. H. Bridges against J. Drader. The plaintiff claimed damages in the sum of $500 on account of alleged personal injuries sustained when he was run down by defendant's motor car at the View Street crossing of Government Street, on December 13 last. The defendant denied the allegation of negligence, and set up in defence that the action of plaintiff in stopping when he first saw the motor car was an invitation for the latter to proceed. Mr. Carewe Martin appeared for the plaintiff and Mr. F. C. Fowkes for the defendant.

Set Down for Trial—Date of trial for the slander actions of former Detectives Ezra Carlow, Harry H. Macdonald and Sam Siciliano against Dr. Ernest Hall and Police Commissioner Joseph North was definitely entered in the Supreme Court Registry yesterday for Monday, February 27. Four separate actions are involved, one by each of the plaintiffs separately against Mr. North, and one combined action of the three against Dr. Hall. The total amount of damages claimed is $60,000. It is possible that the actions will be consolidated at the trial, and the issues involved determined on one action. It is probable that both sides will insist upon a jury trial. Mr. Frank Higgins, K.C., is acting for the plaintiffs, and Messrs. Stewart Henderson and Joseph B. Clearihue for the defendants.



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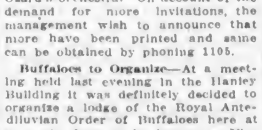

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PIONEER SUCCUMBS IN SOUTHERN STATE

Mr. William C. Ward, Well-Known Old-Time Banker, Passes—Was a Power in Financial Realm

Another pioneer of British Columbia in the person of Mr. William Curtis Ward, former manager of the Bank of British Columbia, which later was absorbed by the Canadian Bank of Commerce, has passed to his reward. The late Mr. Ward, who was a well-known and highly-respected citizen, breathed his last in Paso Robles, California, on Sunday afternoon last.

Several years ago Mr. Ward contracted a serious illness from which he never fully recovered. He was taken much worse two months ago, and at the advanced age of eighty years he left Victoria for the sunny south, hoping to regain his health in California. Mr. Ward had been making favorable progress, but a few days ago he suffered a serious relapse, which ultimately proved fatal.

The late Mr. Ward came to this Province in the early sixties, having been born and educated in England. He chose banking as his profession and rose from clerk to manager within a comparatively short space of time. The late gentleman, as a youth, was articled to the National Provincial Bank of England, where he obtained valuable banking experience which aided him greatly during his subsequent career.

Was an Eminent Banker

The late Mr. Ward for many years was the leading banker in the Province. Much of the prosperity that British Columbia has enjoyed is due in many instances to the far-seeing and intelligent judgment and advice given by Mr. Ward, whose long and intimate association with various activities eminently fitted him to occupy the high office that he held.

The deceased gentleman was a great churchman, being a close personal friend of the late Bishop Hills. Mr. Ward was a member of the Anglican faith, and did splendid work in the formation of the Synod. His wife died several years when he resided on Shasta Avenue, in this city. Since her death Mr. Ward had been living in Oak Bay.

The late Mr. Ward leaves to mourn his loss three sons, Frank, in the Cariboo; William, in Vancouver, and Cecil, in England; and four daughters, Mrs. W. E. Oliver, Victoria, and three married daughters in England. Mr. Robert Ward, a brother of the deceased, recently came out from England to visit the family of his late brother, and is staying at the Oak Bay Hotel.

The remains, which will be interred in Victoria, will be forwarded from California and should reach here on Wednesday or Thursday. The funeral will be held on Friday next, the services being conducted at the residence, 1377 David Street, at 10:30 o'clock, and at Christ Church Cathedral at 11 o'clock. Interment will be made in Ross Bay Cemetery.

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THE WEATHER

Meteorological Office, Victoria, B.C., at 8 p.m., February 13, 1922.

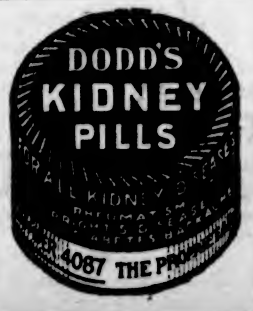
A pronounced cold wave is spreading southward over this Province, and frosts will extend to California. Intense cold prevails on the Prairies.

TEMPERATURE

	Min.	Max.
Victoria, B.C.	29	37
Vancouver	27	34
Kamloops	—4	10
Barkerville	—18	4
Prince Rupert	6	32
Atlin	—14	2
Dawson, Y.T.	—30	—20
Calgary, Alta.	—24	14
Winnipeg, Man.	—26	—10
Portland, Ore.	34	46
San Francisco, Cal.	42	52
Seattle, Wash.	34	42
Penticton	12	24
Grand Forks	2	26
Nelson	4	34
Cranbrook	—17	13

SUNDAY

Highest	46
Lowest	31



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Grass Chairs, Sale $7.95
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Candies for St. Valentine's Day

Chocolate Hearts, each	15¢
Jelly Hearts, large, each	5¢
Jelly Hearts, small, per lb.	50¢
Heart Shaped Baskets, filled with choice Chocolates, each	$4.50

H. B. Co. Quality Groceries

Imperial Bee Pure New Zealand Honey, 2-lb. tin	65¢
New Zealand Honey, in bulk, lb.	25¢
New Season's Comb Honey, per section	40¢
Heinz Tomato Ketchup, large, bot.,	40¢
Small, per bot.	25¢
Heinz Cream of Tomato Soup, small tin	18¢
2 for	35¢
Medium tin	25¢
Large tin	40¢
White Gloss Laundry Starch, 1-lb. pkg.	10¢
Canada Corn Starch, 1-lb. pkg.	10¢
Old Dutch Cleanser, per tin	11¢
Bull Dog Brand Chlorinated Lime, per pkg.	18¢
2 for	35¢

50c Luncheon

Served each day from 11:30 to 2:30

Orchestra in attendance

Afternoon Tea

Served from 3:15 to 5:45

Breakfast

Served from 9 to 10 o'clock

Victorian Restaurant

—4th Floor

Notion Department Specials for Today

Rick Rack Braid

In white, pink, sky and red; suitable for trimming children's dresses; comes in three or four-yard pieces. Today's selling, per piece ..... 25¢

Revolving Needle Cases

Contain 50 of the best English needles, assorted; value 35c. Today's selling, each ..... 25¢

Japanese Shopping Baskets

In three sizes; extra well made, with double handles. Small sizes, each ..... 75¢
Medium sizes, each $1.00
Large sizes, each $1.25

Fancy Pearl Buttons

In round, square and diamond shapes. Today's selling, doz., 15¢

Dressmakers' Cutting Out Scissors

Best English steel; made in Sheffield; value $4.00. Today's selling, per pair $2.75

Mending Wool Skeins

English imported Mending Wool in skeins of high-grade wool; colors of tan, nigger, navy, red, black natural, grey, white and heather. Today's selling, per skein ..... 5¢
Or 6 for ..... 25¢

Lace Pins

Large pins, imported from England; assorted colors; eight pins on card. Today's selling, per card of 8 ..... 5¢

Hind's Hair Curlers

Hind's Patent Hair Curlers for crimping the hair. Today's selling, per box of 4 ..... 25¢

Seven-Inch Steel Scissors

All-Steel Scissors, 7 inches long; made in Sheffield, England; highly finished; suitable for dressmakers or for the home; value $1.50. Today's selling, pair, $1.25

—Main Floor

Spring Wash Fabrics at H. B. Co.'s Low Prices

35-Inch Sandown Suiting

A new Spring cloth, woven of a very fine thread with a lovely linen finish; suitable for women's, misses' and children's suits, dresses and skirts. Comes in shades of brown, Copen, linen, fawn, grey, rose, navy, white and pink. 35 inches wide. Today's selling, per yard 39c

38-Inch Mercerized Cotton Poplin

This is a cloth that we specially recommend. It is woven in a very neat cord with silk appearance, which it retains after being laundered; suitable for women's, misses' and children's dresses and skirts. Comes in shades of white, navy, fawn, Copen, rose, purple, sky and green. 38 inches wide. Today's selling, per yard $1.00

31-Inch Viyella Flannel

This is a cloth that ranks in the highest grade of flannel, and is unshrinkable. Comes in plain colors and medium stripes. 31 inches wide. Today's selling, per yard $1.50

28-Inch Tobralco at 75c a Yard

Tobralco is an English manufactured cloth woven with a soft fancy weave with a silk finish; specially suitable for Spring wear; will launder well; shown in white ground with medium colored stripes; for blouses, men's shirts, children's dresses and separate skirts; 28 inches wide. Today's selling, per yard 75c

28-Inch English Nurse Cloth at 50c a Yard

A cloth that is closely woven and of strong texture; in plain shades and colored stripes in all the wanted colors. Suitable for uniforms and dresses. 28 inches wide. Today's selling, per yard 50c

—Main Floor

Pure White Nainsooks and Longcloths

36-Inch Nainsook

Shown in weaves of English and Canadian makes; of a nice soft finish; suitable for women's underwear. 36 inches wide. Four qualities, at, per yard, 29¢, 35¢, 45¢ and 50¢

42-Inch Nainsook

Same qualities as above, at, per yard ..... 39¢ and 45¢

Horrockses' Longcloth

Woven from the finest Egyptian cotton. 36 inches wide. At, per yard, 39¢, 49¢, 55¢ 59¢ and ..... 65¢

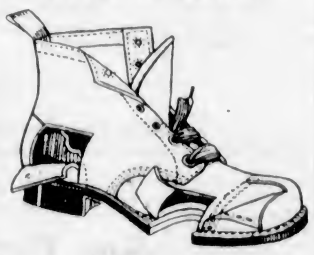
—Main Floor

Women's Brushed Wool Motor Wraps at $5.95 Each

Brushed Wool Motor Wraps in pretty color combinations; tuxedo front, fringe, pockets and belt. Very special value for today's selling, each $5.95

—2nd Floor

Men's Heavy Boots at Hudson's Bay Company's Low Price of $5.95



These Boots are guaranteed Hudson's Bay Company's quality, ranking as one of the most serviceable boots made in Canada. Come in black or brown elkola calfskin, Blucher style, double soles; solid leather throughout. Sizes 6 to 11. New low price for Spring, per pair $5.95

—Main Floor

Men's Socks at 50c a Pair

Pure Wool Socks, in a good shade of grey, English made in 2-1 rib; reinforced heels and toe. A sock that will give you the best of wear and comfort. Today's selling, per pair 50c

—Main Floor

Women's and Children's Underwear at New Low Prices for Spring

Children's Fleece-Lined Knickers

Elastic at waist and knee; good heavy quality. All sizes. Today's selling, per pair, from 75¢ to $1.10

Children's Fleece-Lined Combinations

Button front and closed crotch; long or short sleeves. All sizes. Per suit, from ..... $1.35 to $1.75

Children's Pure Wool Vests

Very fine knit; long and short sleeves. All sizes. Today's selling, each, from ..... $1.65 to $2.25

—2nd Floor

Women's Vests and Drawers at 79c a Garment

The Vests have low necks and strap shoulders or long sleeves and button front. Drawers are closed or open style; knee or ankle length, with buttoned waist band. Sizes 34 to 40. Special for today's selling, per garment ..... 79¢

—2nd Floor

Women's Combinations at $2.50 a Suit

Harvey's Combinations, made of fine cotton or slightly fleeced; low or medium neck and tailored straps; in knee or ankle length. Just the garment for between seasons, and a splendid range of sizes from 34 to 44. Specially priced for today's selling, per suit $2.50

—2nd Floor

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—Main Floor

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Our Art Needlework buyer or her assistants will be pleased to assist in every way by demonstrating with wools or other materials purchased.

—Mezzanine Floor

February Home Furnishing Sale

Parlor Furniture at Economy Prices

Mahognay Parlor Suite

Three-Piece Mahogany Parlor Suite; fine shaped back, hand rubbed finish, spring seats; covered in velour; settee, chair and rocker. Home Furnishing Sale, the suite $75.00

Brown English Mahogany Chesterfield Table

This Table is made of mahogany and in English brown; built in Italian design. Home Furnishing Sale $65.00

Three-Piece Walnut Finished Parlor Suite

Three-Piece Walnut Finished Parlor Suite with carved back and cane panel; covered in blue velour. Home Furnishing Sale, the suite $295.00

Walnut Parlor Suite

Three-Piece Walnut Parlor Suite; beautifully upholstered in blue mohair, with spring seats and large settee, chair and rocker. Home Furnishing Sale, the suite $175.00

Odd Lines in Bedroom Furniture to Clear

Walnut Dressers

Genuine Walnut Dressers, beautifully finished, extra large case with British plate mirror. Home Furnishing Sale, each $75.00

Walnut Chiffonier

Genuine Walnut Chiffonier to match above, with very large case and British plate mirror. Home Furnishing Sale, each $75.00

Solid Walnut Dressing Table

Genuine Walnut Dressing Table, with three beveled plate mirrors; made to match above. Home Furnishing Sale $45.00

Mahogany Bed

One Mahogany Finished Wood Bed in full size, with bow front. Home Furnishing Sale $38.50

—4th Floor

Buy Mattresses Now and Save Money

Hudson's Bay Special Mattress

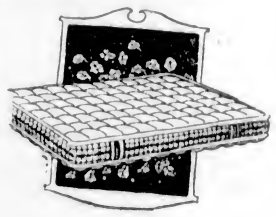
This mattress is made specially for the Hudson's Bay Company, from the finest white cotton felt, and covered with excellent quality art ticking; it has the Imperial roll edge, and is built to stand years of service. Home Furnishing Sale, each $17.50

Star Felt Mattress

This is an all-felt Mattress, made in Victoria, and guaranteed by the manufacturers not to lump; it has good art ticking, and is a mattress that will give perfect satisfaction. Home Furnishing Sale, each $6.75

All-White Felt Mattress

Forty-Pound All-White Felt Mattress; all-white felt filled and covered with good art ticking; roll edge. Home Furnishing Sale, each $10.50



Special All-Felt Mattress

A Roll Edge Mattress of excellent quality; filled with pure felt and guaranteed not to lump; good art ticking cover. Home Furnishing Sale, each $7.25

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Coil Springs, Wood Springs and Steel Springs in great variety. All reduced for this sale.

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—4th Floor

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—3rd Floor

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—3rd Floor

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A large assortment of Japanese Hand-Painted Fancy China, including bowls, bonbon dishes, creams and sugars, mayonnaise sets, etc. Each, from 50¢ to $7.50

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Brass Goods

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Royal Doulton fancy berry sets, creams and sugars, teapots, salad bowls, jugs, cups and saucers, etc., in Dickens and Shakespeare characters. Each, from $1.95 to $12.50

—Lower Main Floor

Silver Tea Sets

Handsome Engraved Three-Piece Tea Set, low shape. Would make a pleasing gift for a bride-to-be. The set, $45.00

—Lower Main Floor

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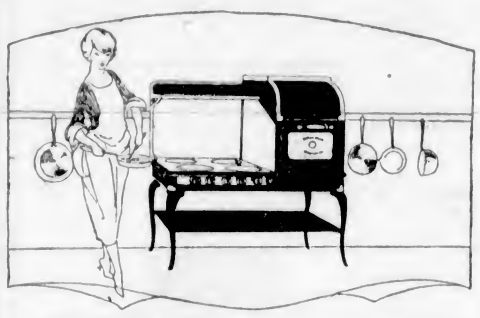

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If You Want a Real Good Supper with good music after, come to St. Columba Presbyterian Church, Oak Bay, Wednesday, February 15, from 6 to 8 o'clock. Adults, 50c; children, 25 cents.

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St. Andrew's Sale of home-cooking, candy, and many useful and pretty articles at a low price, this afternoon in the church parlor from 3 to 6 o'clock. A fine opportunity to obtain delicious cakes, bread and all kinds of home-made dainties. Delightful teas served at 25c.

The Old Homeland. "It's many years since I crossed the Atlantic, but I have always kept in touch with the homeland by reading The News of the World," says a prominent man of the West. The News of the World is the great national journal of the British Isles, and no matter in what part of the globe Britishers may settle, The News of the World, complete with all the week's news, can be obtained. Its thrilling serial stories, up-to-date song with music, the latest gossip and pictures, make it the most welcome of the week's visitors. It can be obtained direct from the publishers, 30 Bouverie Street, London, England, but for the convenience of local purchasers, ample stocks are carried by W. Levy's Cigar Store, 644 Yates Street, Victoria; Huena Cigar Stand, 738 Yates Street, Victoria; St. John Book Store, 1024 Finlayson Street, Victoria; E. Martineau, 1509 Douglas Street, Victoria; H. E. Lazarus, Empress Hotel Newsstand, Victoria; S. Greenhalgh, corner Yates and Government Streets, Victoria; J. J. Wachter, 1303 Douglas Street, Victoria; The Horse Shoe Stand, 1223 Government Street, Victoria. Make sure of a regular weekly supply by placing an order with the agents.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Miss Wilson, of Duncan, is visiting friends in this city.

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Mr. and Mrs. Harold H. Lewis have left for Saskatoon, where they will make their home for the future.

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Mr. and Mrs. Elkington, of Quamichan, after visiting in Victoria, have returned to their home.

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Mr. B. J. Perry, who was stricken with pneumonia about ten days ago, is now convalescent.

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Mrs. McClinton, of Oak Bay, has as her guest her granddaughter, Miss Nancy Buchanan, of Vancouver.

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Mrs. Robert Elworthy, of Government Street, has as her house guest her aunt, Mrs. Walter Lewis, of San Francisco.

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Mr. and Mrs. Francis Wilgress entertained at their home on Newport Avenue on Sunday evening. About eighteen guests were present.

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Mrs. Bole, of Montreal, was the guest of honor on Friday afternoon when Lady Barrett entertained at her home, 1270 Yates Street.

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Mrs. Foster, of 945 Johnson Street, had for her week-end guests Mr. H. A. Edgett of Vancouver; also her daughter, Miss May Foster.

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The many friends of Mr. M. Finnerty, 1530 Bank Street, will be pleased to hear that he returned to his home yesterday after his recent serious illness at St. Joseph's Hospital.

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Mrs. Corning entertained at the tea hour on Sunday afternoon, in honor of Mrs. Martin, of Winnipeg, who is visiting her mother, Mrs. John Gait, for a few months.

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Mr. R. Gibbs, of Westholme, has come to Victoria to visit his cousin, Sir Philip Gibbs. Mr. Gibbs is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Barber-Starkey, of Goldsmith Road.

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Mrs. Wheatley was a hostess recently at her home on Jubilee Avenue, in honor of several friends from Eastern Canada. Mrs. Mitchell presided at the tea table.

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Mrs. Harvey, of Enderby, is in the capital visiting her mother, Mrs. Harrap, and the family. At present she is staying with Major and Mrs. Sisman at Macaulay Point.

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Miss Lucy Currie and Miss Sweet left on Saturday's boat for San Francisco, and will spend several months in California before returning to Victoria.

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Mrs. Turnbull and Mrs. Bell, Winnipeg, who have been visiting here, have returned to their home. During their visit they were guests at the Empress Hotel.

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Mrs. C. E. Thomas, of Victoria, who has been visiting in Vancouver, is expected to return to the Capital tomorrow. Mrs. J. M. Pinkham recently entertained in her honor.

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On Friday Mrs. Clifford Macklin, accompanied by her sister, Miss Agnes Morning-Duffy, left for Seattle en route to Los Angeles, where they will be the guests of their sister, Mrs. D. McCulloch, formerly of this city.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. G. M. Rolston left on Saturday morning for Duncan, having been suddenly summoned owing to the illness of Mr. Rolston's father, Dr. P. W. Rolston, Fleet Surgeon, R.N.

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Miss Dorothy Hicks entertained about fifteen of her young friends at tea on Saturday afternoon at her home, 530 Trutch Street, a number of the guests contributing numbers to a delightful impromptu musical programme, which was much enjoyed by the gathering.

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On Friday afternoon Mrs. Harvey Sutherland, of Winnipeg, was the guest of honor at a bridge party given by her sister, Mrs. Caron B. Jameson, of Oak Bay. Five tables were in play during the afternoon, and the tea table was prettily arranged with masses of daffodils.

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Miss Kathleen Hall, who has been visiting in the East for the past six months, has returned to town, accompanied by Mrs. Lacen, of Toronto, who will be a guest at "Innishowen" for some time, before joining her son, Captain Cyril Lacen, at his ranch on Denman Island.

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Mrs. James A. Calder, of Regina, after a few weeks' visit in Victoria, has left for Vancouver and Regina. Senator Calder is remaining in Victoria at present, but later will join Mrs. Calder at Regina, and proceed to Ottawa for the opening of Parliament.

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Among the visitors present at the meeting of the Alpine Club of Canada held on Saturday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. D. McCaw, Granite Street, were Miss Pearce, of the Calgary section of the club; Miss Nora Bell, of the Winnipeg section; Mr. Graves, chairman of the Vancouver section, and Col. Foster, president of the parent organization, and Mrs. Foster, Vancouver.

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Sir Philip Gibbs entertained several ladies and gentlemen at tea at the Empress Hotel yesterday afternoon, and among them were several of the directors of the British-American League. Sir Philip expressed great interest in the promotion of Anglo-American friendship, and stated that it was absolutely fundamental to the preservation of civilization. He signed an application for membership, and gladly consented to become a patron.

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A very enjoyable evening was spent at the home of Mrs. H. Edwards, of 846 Princess Avenue, on Saturday, when a surprise party gathered to wish Mr. Edwards many happy returns. The evening was spent in cards and dancing, and dainty refreshments were served. The prize winners were Miss Jean Cole and Mrs. Jack Trace, Mr. Aust and Mrs. Wright. Amongst those present were Mr. and Mrs. Jack Trace, Mrs. Richdale, Mr. and Mrs. Watson, Mrs. Hume, Mrs. Chiverall, Mr. Aust, Mr. and Mrs. Wright, Mr. D. Richdale, Mr. P. Balagno, Miss Pott, Miss Jean Cole and Mr. Blake.

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A very enjoyable evening was spent at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jacklin on Thursday last, when members of the Unique Club assembled there. Sixty-five friends participated in the five hundred drive, and the following were prize winners: Mrs. Wood, Mrs. Russell, Mr. Thompson, Mr. Down, and the consolation prizes were won by Mrs. Sharp and Mr. Crossman. Mrs. Bayliss will entertain the club members next Thursday at 1050 Redfern Street.

A juvenile social and dance arranged by Miss Marion Hadley, of Esquimalt, was held in Semple's Hall, Victoria West, on Friday evening. Sixty young people accepted the invitation and spent a very jolly evening. Dancing was carried on from 7:30 until 10 o'clock, after which all present sat down to a very enjoyable supper, the children being looked after by Mrs. Hadley, Mrs. McDonagh, Mrs. Robson, Mrs. Mercer and Miss Margaret Cave. Mrs. Ridgard, Mr. Alfred Food and Mr. Eric Lloyd Young formed a very efficient orchestra, being ably assisted and relieved during the evening by Mrs. T. Hopkins, Miss Marion Hadley, Miss Muriel Miller and Miss Joyce Cave. After supper dancing was again indulged in.

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An enjoyable card party took place last Saturday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Byng, 3160 Davin Street. The proceeds from the affair will be devoted to the Victoria Lawn Bowlers' Association for the purpose of increasing the green accommodation of the club. A number of similar social events are being arranged by various members of the club, with the same object in view. Among those who attended the first event were Mr. and Mrs. McKeachie, Mr. and Mrs. John Paterson, Mr. and Mrs. James Renfrew, Mr. and Mrs. George Vaciance, Mr. and Mrs. William Tomes, Mr. and Mrs. James Munro, Mr. and Mrs. J. Boyd, and Messrs. A. B. McNeill, and J. Patterson.

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Modern music is to be illustrated at the February recital of the Ladies' Musical Club, to be held on Wednesday afternoon at the Empress Hotel. Two numbers never previously heard in public recital will be given on this occasion, when Miss Eva Hart sings Hageman's "At the Well," and Mrs. Harry Briggs sings Zucca's "Rachem." The fact that there are such further well-known artists taking part as Mr. Drury Pryce, Mr. J. W. Petch, Miss Reta Ormiston and Mrs. Jesse Longfield, is sufficient to insure patrons of the pleasure there is in store for them. At the last moment the committee has added the name of Master Donald Adams, a young pianist who is playing Sinding's "Rustle of Spring" and Macdowell's "To a Waterlily." Master Donald is a pupil of Mrs. White.

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A very large number of guests attended the weekly The Dansant on Saturday afternoon at the Empress Hotel. Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. Sutherland, Major and Mrs. Goodeve, Mrs. Bechtel, Mrs. Hunter, Miss Hamilton, Miss McBride, Miss Eberts, Mrs. Rowley, Miss Garvin, Miss Yvonne Cox, Mrs. Corning, Miss Rant, Mrs. Wilson, Miss Winterburn, Miss Cockburn, Mrs. Butchart, Miss Tolmie, Miss Belson, Miss Kirkham, Mrs. William Martin, Mrs. Lennox, Mrs. Rithet, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Troup, Miss Gibson, Capt. and Mrs. Mogg, Capt. and Mrs. H. A. Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. Seele, Mrs. McCausland, Mrs. Raymond, Mrs. Meston, Mrs. Westinghouse, Mrs. Spink, Miss Verrinder, Capt. Weeks, Mr. Kinnaird, Mr. Crane, Col. Homer Dixon, Mr. McIlirce, Mr. Wilson, Mr. De Pas, Capt. Hill, Messrs. Allen, McGregor, McIntosh, Lorne Campbell, Hutchins, Capt. Wick, Col. Foster, Messrs. Bayley and Child.

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On Saturday night the members of the Marguerite Chapter, I.O.D.E., were the hostesses at a very delightful dance held at the Connaught Benmen's Institute. Perry's orchestra was in attendance, and during the evening delicious refreshments were served a la buffet. The dance was held under the patronage of Mrs. D. E. Campbell and Mrs. Mayhew. Among those present were: The Misses Winterburn, Miss Dorothy Tremayne, of Prince Rupert; Miss McVittie, Miss Nash, Miss Collison, Miss Tapp, Miss Margaret Sanson, Miss J. Smith, the Misses Campbell, the Misses Norris, Miss Streatfield, Miss Hamilton, Miss Lee, Miss K. Clay, Miss V. Combe, Miss L. Ross, Miss B. Wolfenden, Mrs. Stewart, Miss Challoner, Miss J. Campbell, Miss Topp, Miss I. Brandon, and Messrs. E. H. King, Ridgway Wilson, Collison, Sheppard, Campbell, Wootton, McLean, Henderson, Raymond, D. Wilson, E. Jones, Neroutsos, Dr. Stewart F. Mayhew, Cadets Parker, J. R. Mitchell, R. Wolfenden, Messrs. Harding, Neild, Ablett, Bainbridge, J. Clay, Watson and Cunningham. The proceeds will be devoted to the use of the Chapter's activities.

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Meetings of the parent society of the Alpine Club of Canada and of the Vancouver Island section of the same organization were held on Saturday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. D. McCaw, 2099 Granite Street, Oak Bay, when matters of general interest to both organizations were discussed and a number of important recommendations brought up for debate. Col. W. W. Foster, of Vancouver, president of the Alpine Club of Canada, had the chair at the meeting of this body, which was addressed at some length by Director A. O. Wheeler, who referred particularly to the preparations which were being made for the 1922 camp in the Rockies. Mr. R. D. McCaw, as chairman of the Vancouver Island section, presided at the meeting of this branch organization which followed the other, referring early in the proceedings to the recent announcement regarding the creation of two more provincial parks. It was a source of special gratification, he said, that this had been done by the Government at the request of the Alpine Club of Canada. A feature of this meeting was an address by Col. Foster, who elaborated the subject by pointing out the great asset which such parks are and will be to the nation as recreation grounds and "breathing places" for the people of this as well as other countries, while their value from the scenic standpoint and as tourist attractions could not be overestimated. The meeting concluded with the serving of refreshments by the hostess.

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On Saturday evening last Mr. and Mrs. Robert Taylor were the recipients of a pleasant surprise at the home of Capt. and Mrs. Ziegler, 1028 Princess Avenue, when about 50 guests assembled in their honor. Dancing and games were indulged in until 11 o'clock, when a delightful buffet supper was served under the able direction of Mesdames Ziegler and Monk. Afterwards Messrs. Copley and Wilimott gave a mystifying and instructive demonstration of mental telepathy, followed by some very clever acrobatic and contortionist feats by Messrs. Mitchell, Gaiger and McDonald. Mr. McDonald also surprised the company with his ability as a reconteur, his witty stories causing roars of laughter. A unique feature was introduced in the form of a performing rooster (a beautiful Speckled Sussex) whose knowing antics caused lots of fun. After the home waltz a most enjoyable evening was reluctantly brought to a close with the usual formula. Among the guests present were: Mr. and Mrs. Wilson, Mr and Mrs. Knowles, Mr and Mrs. Elsmore, Master Elsmore, Mr and Mrs. Mitchell, Mr. and Mrs. Willmott, Mrs. J. Willmott, Mr. and Mrs. Copley, Mr. and Mrs. Fenton, Mr. and Mrs. McDonald, Mr. and Mrs. McDonagh, Mr. and Mrs. Monk, Mr. and Mrs. Leask, Dr. and Mrs. Collier, Mr. and Mrs. Parnell, Master Parnell, Mr. and Mrs. Colbourne, Mr. and Mrs. Craddock, Mr. and Mrs. Gaiger, Mr. Owen, Mrs. Spavin, Mr. Trentham, Mrs. Venner, Mrs. Rattray; nearly all being members of the L.O.O.M.

Saanich Health Centre—The regular meeting of the Saanich Health Centre W.A. will be held on Tuesday, February 14, at 2.30, in the Health Centre.

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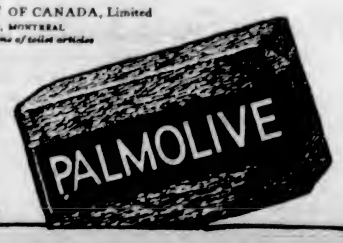

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SPECIAL NEWS

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HOLD VALENTINE TEA

Resident Pupils of St. Ann's Academy Were Hosts at Happy Affair Yesterday

A thoroughly enjoyable tea, organized by the resident pupils of St. Ann's Academy, was well patronized by parents and friends of the children in the spacious recreation apartments of the Academy. The rooms and corridors were appropriately decorated in red and white, "Valentine hearts" predominating both on the tea-tables and in the candy booths. The proceeds are to form the initial contribution to the gymnasium fund.

The following interesting musical programme was rendered, and each number met with merited and appreciative applause: Polonaise (Paderewski), Miss Regina Lutz; vocal solo, "The Sweetest Flower That Blows," Miss Helen Starr; vocal duet, "While I Am Dreaming," Miss K. Fromey and Miss Marguerite Sehl; mandolin and piano, "Beneath Thy Window," Miss Violet McPhee and M. Cartier; melody in G, Phyllis Hodgson; vocal solo, "The Bass Viol," Mr. F. J. Sehl; "Pas des Cymbales" (Chaminade), Miss Estelle McDonell; vocal solo, "Love's Valley," Miss Muriel Tester; "Witches' Dance" (MacDonell), Miss Elaine Duhord, vocal solo, "At Dawning," Mrs. S. T. Sehl; "Cavalier Fantasique" (Godard), Miss L. Dorlon.

Fatally Scalded

MONTREAL, Feb. 13. — Falling into a pail of boiling water at his home last Friday, Gerard Legault, 2½ years of age, suffered burns about the body which caused his death yesterday.

"MARYS" OF EMPIRE CONTRIBUTE TO GIFT

Princess Mary Is to Be Made Recipient of Wedding Present From Namesakes In Many Parts of World.

It seems probable that the gift from the "Marys" of the Empire to Princess Mary on the occasion of her marriage will not be confined to impersonal contributions to charity on her behalf. Coupled with the recent announcement, carried in a Canadian Press cable from London, that Princess Mary would leave the choice of a gift to the donors, comes a letter from Miss Mary Frances Billington to a friend in Vancouver.

Miss Billington, who is perhaps the foremost woman journalist in the world, is on the London committee which will administer the fund contributed by women of the British Empire named "Mary." Miss Billington says that the gift is to be "something personal." At the head of the committee is the Hon. Mrs. Geoffrey Hope Morley, Princess Mary's special girl friend for years. She is assisted by Lady Mary Cambridge (the Queen's niece), Lady Northcliff, Mrs. Massey Lyon (editor of The Queen), Miss Billington, the Marchioness of Hartington, who is daughter-in-law to the Duke of Devonshire and was Lady Mary Cecil before her marriage, and several other smart society girls.

The suggestion that Canadian Marys should present the Princess with a gift of furs was countered in some circles of women's societies recently with the statement that Princess Mary had definitely expressed a wish that all gifts should take the form of financial support for charitable institutions.

Incidentally, Miss Billington's letter contains the news, which will be welcome to her Canadian friends, that she has quite recovered from her recent illness. As the representative of women's societies in Great Britain to the Imperial Press Conference she toured Canada in 1920 and made a host of friends here. The hope that she might pay a return visit last Autumn was dispelled when the news reached Canada that she was undergoing a serious operation. In her recent letter she remarks that her progress toward recovery, after the first few days, has never been interrupted and today she is quite well again and able to meet the strenuous tasks of her profession and social connections.

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GUIDES ORGANIZE IN VICTORIA WEST

New Company Started by Miss Marjorie Colby and Miss Edith Barf —Holding Valentine Party

That the Victoria Girl Guides are going ahead at a pace which is only limited by lack of suitable officers was ably demonstrated last Thursday, when, at the home of Mrs. Trowsdale, 631 Esquimalt Road, a very enthusiastic meeting was held to organize the new Victoria West Company. This corps is taking the title of No. 1 Company (which has been in abeyance for some time). Two old Guides, Miss Marjorie Colby, late of No. 4 Co., and Miss Edith Barf, late of No. 2 Co., have started the new company and are looking forward to a most successful season.

Miss Leighton, commissioner for Victoria, conducted the initial meeting, when two patrols were formed, the Robins and Bluebirds, with the following members in each: Robins, Dorothy Hall, Caroline Mcgeorge, Mary Trowsdale, Alice Swincoe, Margaret Foyer. Bluebirds, Iris Fairall, Hazel Hall, Ethel Trowsdale, Oliver Pilcher, and Lesley Haggart. The new company is meeting at the Scouts' headquarters, Esquimalt Road, every Wednesday, at 7.30, and it is expected that very soon it will be in uniform, and working well.

No. 4 (Oak Bay) Company is increasing in number very rapidly, so last Friday it was necessary to form a new patrol. This was done, and under the leadership of Patrol Leader Agnes Evans decided to call itself the Rose Patrol. An enrollment ceremony was held last Friday by this company, when Guide May Syme and Patrol Leader Edna Fairhurst were enrolled. The company was also honored with a visit from Miss Leighton, Commissioner for Victoria.

Through the great kindness of Mr. Goepel and the committee of St. Mary's Church, the guides are to be allowed to use the church hall for a valentine party which they will give next Friday for the 2nd Victoria Company. The affair is being looked forward to very much by the guides who are taking part.

No. 5 Co. (Foul Bay) have instituted a "Craft Corner" in their headquarters for the exchange of ideas among the guides in the way of useful arts and crafts.

Conservative Women

The Women's Conservative Club of Esquimalt will hold a military five hundred tournament on Wednesday night in the Sailors' Club, Esquimalt. This will be the first of a series to be held by the organization from time to time in Esquimalt, Victoria West and Oak Bay. The five hundred tournament will be preceded by short speeches and musical numbers, commencing at 7:30. The card playing will begin at 8:30. All Conservatives are welcome.

Y.W.C.A. DIRECTORS HOLD BUSINESS SESSION

Regular Monthly Meeting Took Place on Friday—Preparations Made for Tag Day on Saturday Next

The Board of Directors of the Young Women's Christian Association met on Friday, the president, Mrs. Bishop, in the chair.

The resignation of Mrs. Percy Fletcher was received with regret. A cheque for $25 from the Ladies' Musical Club, accompanied by a note expressing their interest and best wishes, was received on account of the building fund. Plans for a tag day on Saturday, February 18, were discussed, and Mrs. Beckwith, Mrs. Adams, Mrs. Nivin, Miss Hall and Mrs. Colpman were appointed a committee to look after this, the object of which is to get sufficient money to pay off the sum still outstanding on the recently purchased site, and to form a nucleus for the building fund. The committee would be glad to have the names of any person who may be willing to assist in the tagging, left at the office, 745 Yates Street.

The following delegates were appointed to the Local Council of Women's annual meeting: Mrs. Bishop, Miss Fawcett, Mrs. Nivin and Mrs. Beckwith.

A letter from Miss Nellie Elliott stated she would be in Victoria from February 28 to March 2. Miss Elliott was general secretary of the Y.W.C.A. in Winnipeg for several years, giving up the work there to go to Hongkong, China, in the same capacity. Miss Elliott will meet the Board of Directors and committee Wednesday afternoon. On Tuesday evening she will speak on the work in Hongkong. On Wednesday evening a mass meeting of the 'teen age girls of the city is being arranged, at which Miss Elliott will be the speaker.

During the month of January 150 boats, 45 trains were met, and 13 people assisted. Subscriptions to this most necessary work were received from the following organizations: Gordon Head Women's Institute, First Presbyterian Church Ladies' Aid, Christ Church Cathedral W.A., Gonzales Chapter, I.O.D.E.; Ministering Circle King's Daughters, Esquimalt Chapter, I.O.D.E.; Lady Douglas Chapter, I.O.D.E.; and Mrs. King, Calgary.

Mrs. W. Young has been appointed to the directorate, and Mrs. Ernest Whittington a member of the religious committee. Among projects to raise funds for the new building is a "Progressive Dinner," which has been put in the hands of the publicity, social and house committees, under the leadership of Mrs. Piercy.

During the month 3,532 meals were served and thirty-four permanent and fifty-five transient guests entertained. Miss Gilchrist has returned after a four months' leave of absence, spent in Santa Barbara, and has again taken up her duties at the annex. The committee spoke very highly of the work done by Miss Clara Jones, who has been substitute matron of the annex for the past two months.

The following organizations used the room of the association during the month: Ladies' Musical Club, Women's Canadian Club, W.C.T.U., Central Women's Institute, Girls' Work Board, Special Social Service Committee and Religious Education Council of Victoria and District.

ANNUAL TALENT TEA OF CATHEDRAL GIRLS

Interesting Event to Take Place on Saturday, February 25, at Christ Church Schoolroom

Great interest is being taken in preparations for the annual talent tea of Christ Church Cathedral Girls' Branch of the W. A. to M.S.C.C.

This year the event will take place on Saturday, February 25 from 3 to 6 p.m., at Christ Church schoolroom, on Quadra Street. This branch of the W. A. is interested in the Columbia Coast Mission, which does such splendid social service work on the East Coast of the island under the charge of Rev. John Antle; also in the work of the local Chinese mission and the General Pledge Fund of the W.A., which pays the missionaries' salaries in Canada and overseas.

The girls are looking forward to meeting their old and new friends on the afternoon of the 25th and spending a social and profitable afternoon together.

MODERN COMPOSERS TO BE ILLUSTRATED

February Recital of Ladies' Musical Club to Be Held on Wednesday Afternoon at Empress

Modern composers are to be illustrated at the February recital of the Ladies' Musical Club, which is to take place at the Empress ballroom on Wednesday afternoon. The following is the programme in detail:

Violin Solo—Enbateau .... Debussey
Mr. Drury Pryce
Song—In Silent Night..Rachmaninoff
Mr. J. W. Petch
Vocal—At the Well.....R. Hageman
Miss Eva Hart
Piano Solo—Valse F.....Rubenstein
Miss Reta Ormiston
Vocal—
(a) Down in the Forest .....
..... Landon Ronald
(b) Call Me No More.... Cadman
Mrs. Jesse Longfield
Violin Solo—Berceuse Romantique
..... Kreisler
Mr. Drury Pryce
Vocal—Rachem ..... Mana-Zucca
Mrs. Harry Briggs
God Save the King
Accompanist—Mrs. A. J. Gibson

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EXPERT TO LECTURE ON RACE BETTERMENT

Dr. Sara E. Wise, of San Francisco, Engaged for Series of Addresses in City During the Present Week

Dr. Sara E. Wise, of San Francisco, has been engaged for a series of lectures to be given here during the present week, and every organization and individual interested in child welfare, moral education and race betterment and kindred subjects, is reserving the dates, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, February 15, 16 and 17, to attend these meetings. "Heredity and Environment," "Problems of the Little Children," "Problems of the 'Teen-Age Girl," "The Boy Problem," "The Psychology of Successful Child-Training," "Dress, Art, and Amusements in Relation to Vice," "The Physical Basis of Character Building," are but some of the topics on which she speaks.

The dates and places of her addresses are as follows:

February 15, Wednesday afternoon, conference with Dr. H. E. Young, Provincial Health Officer.

Evening—Mass meeting, Fairfield Methodist Church, chairman, Rev. Mr. Archbold, secretary Social Hygiene Council.

Thursday morning—Victoria High School, afternoon, Sherwood W.M.S. Belmont Methodist Church; evening, Victoria West Methodist Church, chairman, Rev. Mr. Dimmick.

Friday morning—Women's Auxiliary Anglican Church; afternoon, Women's Institutes; evening, Canadian Girls in Training, Metropolitan Sunday School.

POSTER COMPETITION

All competitions for the prizes offered by the Lady Alderson Chapter, I.O.D.E., for posters significant of the children's party to be held at the Empress under the auspices of the Chapter, on Tuesday, February 28, in celebration of the wedding of Princess Mary of England, are reminded that competitions must be sent care of Mr. J. S. Macmillan, 201 Union Bank Building, by Tuesday morning of this week.

Patrons are reminded that reservations for tables may be made on application to Mr. A. F. Griffiths, telephone 6980, or Miss Lilla Lowndes, telephone 2540R, and it is advised to secure these early as places are going rapidly. Tickets for children may be obtained on and after Wednesday next, at Hibben's, Mitchell & Duncan, D. Spencer (inquiry counter), Wilkerson's, and from the chapter membership.

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SATURDAY'S RUGBY

Another good rugby match is expected to be seen here Saturday, when the Wanderers and Bays, at present tied at the top of the league standing in the play for the Barnard Cup and championship of Victoria, meet at Oak Bay. Each of these teams met defeat last Saturday, and, while they are once more testing each others strength at Oak Bay, their respective conquerors of last week, the Old Boys and Royal Naval College, will be staging another good contest at Mount Tolmie.

BURGESS DID IT

A correspondent writes to call attention to the error in the story cabled to The Colonist from England relative to the Channel swim, which stated that Captain Webb was the only man to have performed the feat. William T. Burgess was successful in swimming from the South Foreland to Le Chatelet, near Cape Grinnez, in 22 hours and 25 minutes on Sept. 5-6, 1911, taking forty minutes longer than Captain Webb. The correction has also been received by cable.

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Millionaires Push Seattle Down Again

Score Two Goals in Last Period After Holmes Had Beaten All Records for Stopping Flying Pucks—Walker Absent From Mets' Line-up Through Injury

VANCOUVER, Feb. 13.—"Happy" Holmes, the Seattle goaltender, went for one hundred and sixty-eight minutes and twenty seconds against all the sharpshooters of the P.C.H.A. before they scored a goal on him. Offhand, without any records available, that seems to be the best performance of its kind in senior professional hockey. The two shots which finally beat Holmes were the kind that only a celestial goalkeeper will ever save. They came in the last period, when both Vancouver and its Millionaire team were just about ready to give up in despair of beating the wonderful Holmes.

Skinner put the rubber past Happy on a rebound from a shot by Adams; there was no chance to clear. Five minutes and forty-seven seconds later MacKay sent in a high floater aimed for the upper left-hand corner of the net. It just grazed the post. Holmes could not have stopped it, for it was perfectly placed, and came from between two players.

Walker's absence in hospital with an injured left hand necessitated a change in the visitors' line-up. Briden went to centre, while Foyston dropped back to the rover position. Briden went most of the distance, and was one of the best men on the ice. His rushes straight through the centre gave Mickey MacKay considerable trouble, and that tricky youngster found his hook check was not working against Briden as successfully as usual.

Puck Was Lively

One of the features of the game was the fast ice, which made the puck very lively. As a result, it left the ice continually and scored goals in nearly every box along the sides at one time or another during the evening. Once Vancouver had secured the two-goal lead in the last period the whole team lay back in a solid line, determined to take no chances with the Mets. The Southerners skated like fiends up to the last second in their efforts to even the score, and several times had Lehman jumping about like a mad hornet as they peppered him. When the whistle finally cut through the noise of battle there was a shout of relief from the entire audience. No one felt any too sure about the result until the game had passed into history.

The Line-Up

Vancouver	Position	Seattle
Lehman	Goal	Holmes
Cook	Defence	Rowe
Duncan	Defence	Rickey
MacKay	Rover	Foyston
Adams	Centre	Briden
Skinner	R. Wing	Morris
Harris	L. Wing	Riley
Parkes	Reserve	Fraser
Desireau	Reserve	

Summary

First period—No score.
Second period—No score.
Third period—1, Vancouver, Skinner, 8:20; 2, Vancouver, MacKay, 5:47. Total: Vancouver, 2, Seattle, 0.

Substitutes

First period—None.
Second period—Fraser for Morris, Morris for Riley.
Third period—Riley for Fraser, Fraser for Briden, Briden for Fraser, Parkes for Adams, Fraser for Morris, Adams for MacKay, Morris for Riley, Riley for Fraser, MacKay for Parkes, Fraser for Rowe.

Penalties

First period—Riley, 3 minutes.
Second period—None.
Third period—Briden, 3 minutes.

HIGH SCHOOL GIRLS WIN FROM RAMBLERS

Undefeated Duncan Basketball Team Had Narrow Escape—Epworth Team Proves Too Good for Bankers

DUNCAN, Feb. 11.—There was a fair turnout to witness the basketball league series staged in the Agricultural Hall here last evening.

The first game put on, the Ramblers vs. the High School girls, was without doubt one of the best games that has been staged by the girls throughout the series. The Ramblers put up a wonderful fight against the High School misses, who as yet have not lost a game, but they had an extremely narrow shave last night, the final score reading 5 to 4 in favor of the High School. Throughout the match the Ramblers really had much the better of the play, they guarded well and gave few opportunities to Ina Castley and Hilda Best, the star forwards of the High School aggregation. It was in finding the basket that the Ramblers fell down. Shot after shot failed to register. There seemed to be some hoodoo around the basket. Many of the shots seemed as though they would make good, then creep up and fall on the wrong side of the rim. Throughout the match, from the first till the final whistle, it was a close hard-fought game with good combination.

The defeat of the Merchants by the Scarlet Runners came as rather a surprise to many, but the Runners thoroughly deserved their win, for the lads headed by Doc. French put up a fine game. The Merchants started off well, and took a nice lead of 8 points before the Runners got started, then they retaliated and scored 11 points in close succession, before the Merchants could recover their surprise; then it was a close hard-fought battle till at half-time the score stood Merchants 13, Runners 11. But it was in the second half that the Runners turned the trick; they came on strong, were guarding well and finding the basket, till when the final whistle went the score read Runners 21, Merchants 18.

The Bankers could not live up to the reputation and glory they had achieved by their win last week, and went down to a sad defeat at the hands of the Epworth League aggregation, to the tune of 32 to 10.

Ed. Evans handled the whistle for the three matches. The teams were:

Ramblers—Misses May Tombis, Carrie Best, Hazel Castley, Mabel Knocker, Peggy Inches.

High School Girls—Misses Ina Castley, Hilda Best, Alice Strouiger, Edna Castley, Viola Harris.

Scarlet Runners—Doc. French, E. Woodward, Jim Campbell, Talbot, Herb Whan (first half), Brookbank (second half).

Merchants—Bill McNichol, Pat Forrest, Alex Lamont, Charlie Stoney, Bill Talbot.

Bankers—C. Bell, H. W. Dickie, Bruce Fowsl, Douglas Hilton, Bielby (first half), Hec. Munro (second half).

Epworth League—Albert Dirome, John Dirome, Don Campbell, Douglas Tait, Stan Weismiller (first half), Alf. Whan (second half).

NEW YORK, Feb. 13.—The International League of Baseball Clubs today adopted a resolution rejecting reinstitution of the draft even at the increased selection price of $7,500, as suggested by Judge K. M. Landis, commissioner of baseball.

VANCOUVER PLANNING PROFESSIONAL BOXING

Promoters Negotiating With Prominent Ring Talent for Shows During Summer Months

VANCOUVER, Feb. 13.—Plans for the resumption of professional boxing in Vancouver were announced on Saturday by Matchmaker Jack Allen, of the Vancouver Athletic Club. The first tournament of the 1922 season will be staged about the middle of March at the Arena, and shows will be staged at regular intervals during the Summer months. The best ring talent in the country will be brought here, and every effort will be made to provide Vancouver's boxing fraternity with first-class milling.

Matchmaker Allen is in communication with Frank Barrieau, claimant of the Canadian welterweight title. If terms are satisfactory Barrieau may be seen in action in the opening show. His opponent may be Gordon McKay, Idaho battler, who has won every bout in which he has started in northwest rings during the past year. Other boxers whom the V. A. C. officials plan to bring here include Denver Frank Murphy, Joe Gorman, Earl Baird, Joe Welling and Travie Davis, while Clonie Tait, Canadian lightweight champion, would be asked for the 'steenth time to defend his laurels in a Vancouver ring. The V.A.C. officials have wired him an offer. Tait boxes Joe Benjamin in New York this month, but he may consent to come West at a later date.

IRISHMEN PLAY TO DRAW WITH SENATORS

OTTAWA, Feb. 13. — The Toronto St. Patrick's hockey team and the Ottawa Senators locked horns here Saturday night, but at the end of 80 minutes, the maximum of play, neither had won a decision, and the game stood at 4 all. Under the new rule each team should draw one point for the game.

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COMMERCIAL HOCKEY

Schoolboys to Have Free Admission to Tomorrow's Game Between Bays and Newsies

Neither the Hudson's Bay or Newsies hockey team is taking any chances of losing tomorrow night's game, and both teams have been getting all the practice possible.

The Newsies' last practice was a revelation to those on the fence. Speed galore and wonderful shots were on the programme. Turk Grice is exceptionally well pleased with his team.

The boys in green and gold are in fine condition, championship form is the best that can be said about them. Manager Stanhope has nothing to say about his team; he is a quiet, reserved man, and dislikes interviews, but is a most ardent worker and keen supporter of hockey at all times.

President G. Lovatt and Secretary W. McAllister have arranged to give the schoolboys admission free to the final games, as they believe it is the proper thing to encourage good, clean sport amongst the younger element.

KAHANAMOKU A PRO, SAYS FULLARD LEO

World Champion Swimmer Makes Contract to Appear in the Movies, Thus Losing Amateur Status

HONOLULU, Feb. 13.—Duke Kahanamoku, Hawaii's world champion sprint swimmer, is now a professional, F. F. Leo, secretary of the Hawaiian division of the Amateur Athletic Union, declared recently when the Duke announced he had signed a contract to appear in motion pictures.

The avowed intent to make money through fame gained in amateur athletics is held to be sufficient, Mr. Leo said, to professionalize an amateur.

SEVEN-MAN DEFENCE HAS TO BE BROKEN

Seattle's New Strategy Proving Too Effective to Be Pleasant—Aristocats Tackle the Problem Tomorrow

Realizing that a victory over in Seattle Wednesday night will put them high up in the running for the world's championship and that defeat will make the final lap of the race a desperately hard one, the Victoria Aristocrats worked out at the Arena yesterday in one of the last practices of the present season. How to meet the new Seattle seven-man defence system was the problem which Manager Lester Patrick and Captain Eddie Oatman tackled, but whether they made any progress is not known. Anyway, the team will pack up its skates and sail over to the Sound City this afternoon, all primed up for the cruelal battle tomorrow evening.

Seattle's defensive work lately has not only staggered the other teams, but has marked what amounts to a distinct development in the hockey game. The Muldoon plan is simple but wondrously effective. The three forwards go down the ice on a rush. As soon as they bump into the opposing defence and lose the puck they dash back again and, lining up in front of Rover Jack Walker, they create a veritable seven-man defence. And it is just about as easy to drive a gimlet through the great wall of China as to stickhandle through that crowd of multi-colofed athletes.

Hard Plan to Beat

Time and time again this system has brought spectacular three-man rushes to naught. Nor do long shots bother it. There is such a crowd in front of the goal that the puck, even though shot by such dead-eyed stickhandlers as Tommy Dunderdale, usually bounds off somebody's chest before it gets near the nets. Still there is a way of getting through. The Aristocrats proved that here last Friday night even though they were unable to win. More than once perfect combination and beautiful stickhandling brought them to the goal's mouth in spite of everything that the Seattle defence could do, and it was only Holmes' marvelous work in the nets that saved the Mets frequently.

When the Aristocrats can break away quick enough after a Seattle rush they don't find so much difficulty. If they can start down the ice before the Seattle forwards can retrace their steps they have only Walker, Rickey and Rowe in front of Holmes, and as soon as they got wise to the Met strategy last week they did this thing time after time. Tomorrow they can be counted upon to checkmate the seven-man defence system at every point and show the Mets that they, too, know something about stopping rushes.

Whether yesterday's practice here evolved any plan for negotiating the seven-man defence or forcing the Mets to come more out into the open remains to be seen. It is known, though, that the Aristocrats will fight to get the first goal tomorrow and thus forestall any Seattle attempt to play a defensive game and win on a margin of one goal or two.

GERMAN BOXERS NOT WANTED IN ENGLAND

LONDON, Feb. 13.—The Home Office refuses to allow German boxers to appear before the public in England. German middle and lightweight champions were signed to appear in London on February 20 and 25 respectively.

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MANITOBA ALL-STARS DRAW WITH CLEVELAND

WINNIPEG, Feb. 13. — A drawn game between the Cleveland (Ohio) hockey team and a team of Manitoba all-stars went the limit of four periods Saturday night, and resulted in a 6 to 6 score. The match was for the Winnipeg Winter carnival championship, and the Cleveland team defaulted so far as the jewelry is concerned, because they had not played the full preliminary schedule of games. The match furnished one of the most brilliant exhibitions of hockey seen here in many a day.

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First Savage Cup Game Is Won by the Towers

SPORTING NEWS

Dundee Puts Up Cash to Get Kilbane Into Ring

Towers Take Lead in Savage Cup Games

Win First Game Against Senators at Local Arena by Three Goals to One After the Home Team Had All the Better of First Half of the Contest

Playing championship hockey from beginning to end, Vancouver amateur hockey champions, the Towers, defeated the Senators at the arena last night in the first game in the Savage cup series, for the British Columbia Amateur Championship, by 3 goals to 1. For sixty minutes both teams worked at a terrific rate, dishing up one of the closest and fastest games that has been staged on local ice for many a day.

The game was one of the finest played here for a long, long time. The 2,500 fans were delighted to see an even battle. Though the Senators were trimmed by a two goal margin, they had the better of the play until near the end. It was the last fifteen minutes of play that told the tale. The visitors had the staying power which gave them the game.

Aubrey Archibald, Victoria's blind war hero and former amateur hockey star, set the game in motion last night. After addressing the players for a few minutes he faced off the puck. He was accompanied to centre ice by Dan O'Sullivan, president of the local league, and John Mowat, honorary vice-president of the British Columbia Amateur Hockey Association.

The first period belonged to Victoria. From the face-off the Senators' forwards were continually bombarding Broadfoot. Towers put up a splendid fight, but on the evening's showing were not entitled to the game. Their forwards pulled off some splendid combination rushes, but the defence men were weak, and continually allowed the Senators to get on top of the goalie, who made some very sensational saves, especially in the first and second periods.

Senators Start Fast

The Towers were bewildered in the first period. The Senators started off at a wicked pace, the visitors looked on in amazement, and through the wonderful goal-tending of Broadfoot the day was saved. In the second period the Towers got down to business, and their defence tightened up, with the result that the locals had to shoot from the blue line.

While Deidal was the bright light on the offensive, he was inclined to be too selfish, and many times would stickhandle his way through when he had his wing men uncovered, and could have gone in after rebounds from their shots, instead of trying to do everything himself. Millar was rather weak on the wing, and did not play his position to advantage.

In McDougal Towers uncovered a very neat little bit of hockey material, whose work on the right wing was greatly applauded by the fans. Doc De Muth, with a hockey reputation as long as your arm, did not show up in his usual colors last night. The Senators had him picked as the bad man of the night, but after seeing him in action they forgot him. De Muth and Copas were the only ones to receive penalties last night. Both offences brought minor penalties.

Toward the close of the game the players became a bit wild, and there was a lot of tripping and heavy body checking. Allan and Benny Fellowes were a couple of whirlwinds on skates. They certainly did a lot of work in the short sixty minutes of play. Sanderson was another worker, and did a lot of effective work.

Considering the condition of the Senators, this being their first game together since the shake-up, they did mighty well. They fought hard, the first and second periods being easily theirs. In the last period, twenty minutes of hard play told the awful tale. They were unable to hit the pace, and lost the game by two goals. The second game will be played in Vancouver next Friday night, and the locals will have to do a lot of hustling to gain the two goal lead. Total goals to both games decide the B.C. championship.

The Senators lost no time in getting away to a good start. The vigor of their attack demoralized the Towers. The visitors pulled some nice team work, and Straith saved nicely several times. The shooting eyes of the Senators were in wonderful shape, but Broadfood had them spotted before they started. The locals played a wonderful combination, but were unable to sag the hemp. Deildal, playing a long game, made many sensational attacks, but his shots went wide. The Towers forwards started shooting from the blue line without any result. The Fellowes' brothers, assisted by Sanderson, gave the Senators' defence a bit of worry near the end of this period.

In the second period the locals again started things going. They slipped in high gear and tore off at an awful pace. The local champions pressed hard for some minutes, and Harry Smith, on a pass from Miller, scored. It was a wonderful moment in the Senators' camp. With a one-goal lead the Senators put up a stonewall defence. Miller started to work harder and his work was more effective, the goal throwing a little more spirit into him. During this period Straith did not have much of a chance to show his skill in front of the net. Murray played an exceptionally brilliant game for the locals and did a lot of good work. Sanderson was not much of a skater, but he certainly can handle a stick. His brilliant attacks were cheered by the fans. Allan Fellowes, on a pass from Sanderson, scored. During this period the only two penalties of the evening were dished out. With a few minutes to go the visitors played circles around the Senators.

The Fatal Third

In the final round the locals came out to win. The Towers got to work and played a wonderful combination. De Muth and Moore, on defence, got down to business and nothing much passed them. Brolin, the Towers' substitute, was given a chance this period and showed up great. Wickson showed all kinds of speed during this period. He tore through the Towers' defence but was unable to get the shot home. The visitors played hard and this period easily goes to them. They had the Senators played off their feet. The play began to get rough and there was a lot of falling, caused by tripping and hard body-checking. The players also resorted to hooking one another. Dowd was on the ice for a short time, but had to be pulled as he could not hit the pace.

The Line-Up

The teams lined up as follows:

Towers	Position	Senators
Broadfoot	goal	Straith
De Muth	r. defence	R. Copas
Moore	l. defence	Wickson
A. Fellowes	centre	Deildal
B. Fellowes	r. wing	Smith
Sanderson	l. wing	Miller
McDougal	utility	Dowd
Brolin	" "	Murray

Goal Summary

First period—None.

Second period—1 (Senators) Smith, 6:40; 2 (Towers) A. Fellowes, 6:20.

Third period—3 (Towers) McDougal, 9:30; 4 (Towers) A. Fellowes, 5:10.

Penalties

Towers—De Muth, 3 minutes.

Senators—Copas, 3 minutes.

Referee—George Irvine. Timekeeper—W. H. Wilkerson.

The Senators will travel to Vancouver on Friday to meet the Towers for the second and final game for the championship. The Senators should win, provided they overcome a little selfishness which seems prevalent in the forward division. The Towers' defence is not strong and the local forwards have the speed to skate around them.

COLLARS Tooke SHIRTS

INTERCITY CHESS

A team of six members of the Victoria Chess Club visited North Vancouver on Saturday afternoon and played six members of the North Vancouver Chess Club, with the following results:

Victoria—		N. Vancouver—	
Barker	0	Ewing	1
Dr. Young	1	Stark	0
Sanders	1	Young	0
Harlow	1	Jenkins	0
Gonnason	1	Jones	0
Eraut	1	Rogers	0
	5		1

The same evening the same six played six of the Vancouver Chess Club at Vancouver, with the following results:

Victoria—		Vancouver—	
Barker	½	Yates	½
Dr. Young	0	Butler	1
Sanders	0	Parsons	1
Harlow	0	Haines	1
Gonnason	1	Barker	0
Eraut	1	Garrety	0
	2½		3½

RECORD MADE IN CHECKER TOURNAMENT FOR DRAWN GAMES

LONDON, Feb. 13.—The number of games drawn in the international checker championship match just concluded at Glasgow constitutes a record, according to The Times. Thirty-seven of the forty games played by Robert Stewart, of Scotland, and Newell Banks, of Detroit, Mich., were drawn. Two victories gave Stewart the championship.

The nearest approach to this, says the newspaper, was a match at Boston between Barker and Jordan, in which 36 games were drawn. The newspaper quotes Stewart as saying Banks was one of the best players he ever met.

BALKLINE BILLIARDS

Former Champion of Europe Defeated in First Round of Amateur Tournament

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 13.—Francis S. Appleby, of New York, tonight defeated Edouard Rondil, of Paris, former European champion, in the first match of the international amateur 18.2 balkline billiard tournament, 300 to 177, in 23 innings. Appleby's high run was 76 and Roudil's 43.

RAY AND VARDON WILL BE PARTNERS ON TOUR

NEW YORK, Feb. 13. — James Braid, five times winner of European open golf championships, will not make a journey to the United States this year, in company with Harry Vardon, it was announced today by A. D. Peterson, who will manage the trip of English professionals coming to America next Summer. Ted Ray will come in Braid's stead.

RESPITE FOR SPRAGUE

TORONTO, Feb. 13.—The National Hockey League directors held a meeting here yesterday to consider the suspension of Sprague Cleghorn, but after much discussion it was decided to postpone further action until a later date.

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JOHNNY DUNDEE HOT ON KILBANE'S TRAIL

Puts Up Real Money to Back His Challenge for Title Bout With the Featherweight Champion

NEW YORK, Feb. 13.—Johnny Dundee, world's junior lightweight champion, opened a campaign yesterday that will either force Johnny Kilbane into the ring, or force the featherweight champion to relinquish his crown. Dundee posted a certified cheque for $10,000 with Tex Rickard as a guarantee that he will make 126 pounds at 3 o'clock in the afternoon for Kilbane.

Dundee will leave the money in Rickard's hands until Kilbane returns from abroad, and if the featherweight champion still ignores Dundee's challenge the latter will appeal to the boxing commissions throughout the country protesting against Kilbane's refusal to defend his title.

STOCKERS PLAY DRAWN GAME WITH ALL-STARS

The Stockers and All-Star sexlettes, which met after the big hockey event last night, showed a deal of skill and nerve throughout their encounter. Prec Moody played his usual brilliant game, scoring the one goal secured by the All Star team, while Ed Pinchback tallied the only one for Stockers. The game was evenly fought out, but the Stockers had the better combination, which was only natural, considering the fact that the other men had not practised together before.

Bal Straith played an exceptionally good defence game, and Goodacre went into things as if he meant it. Rose and Roy Pinchback did fine work on the Stockers' forward line, while Caveness played a good game on the opposing line. Caveness had a very fast and sure shot, but Campbell's goaltending was so flawless that not once did the wing man find the inside of the net.

Gordon Reid's checking and rushing, and Allen's defence work, were very commendable. After the score in the first period by Moody, there was no other tally until well on in the second period, while the third round of the encounter was evenly divided between the two teams, neither being able to secure a goal.

Billy Riley refereed, and the line-up was as follows:

All Stars	Position	Stockers
Geiger	Goal	Campbell
Straith	L. Defence	Goodacre
Allen	R. Defence	Rose
Moody	Centre	E. Pinchback
Mowat	L. Wing	Simpson
Reid	R. Wing	Rose
Caveness	Utility	

Summary—First period: 1, All Stars, Moody, 11:00; second period, 2, Stockers, Pinchback, 11:00.

Penalties—None.

ONTARIO HOCKEY

TORONTO, Feb. 13.—Aura Lees met their first defeat this season in the senior O.H.A. series, when Granites beat them 4-3 here on Saturday night. The standing of the clubs is a follows:

	W.	L.	Tied
Aura Lee	7	1	0
Granites	6	2	0
Hamilton	4	4	1
U. of T.	2	4	1
Kitchener	2	5	0
Argos	1	6	0

LACROSSE CHALLENGE ACCEPTED BY OXFORD

SYRACUSE, N.Y., Feb. 13.—Laurie D. Cox, vice-president of the Intercollegiate Lacrosse League, has received a cablegram from Oxford University, England, accepting an invitation to send its lacrosse team here in April for a series of twelve games, against leading American teams, including Yale, Harvard and Navy.

BOBBY McLEAN WINS PROFESSIONAL SKATING

CLEVELAND, Feb. 13. — Bobby McLean, of Chicago, is the new indoor speed ice skating professional champion, winning the title tonight with 210 points to his credit, 70 points ahead of Norval Baptie, of Minneapolis, runner up in the two days' racing with 140 points to his credit.

JUNIOR LEAGUE RUGBY

The rugby game that was to be played at Mount Tolmie between the High School and the University fifteens has been postponed until Wednesday of this week. The contest will decide whether or not the University will gain a chance for first place in the league, and whether the High School will have a chance at second. Oak Bay High School is in the cellar, while the Naval College is on top.

SCHOOL HOCKEY TEAMS MEET ON SATURDAY

The Victoria High School and the University Military School hockey teams will compete at the Arena, Saturday morning. The result of this game will give the ratio of the strength of the Vancouver and Victoria High School teams which are shortly to battle, since the Mainland boys have already beaten the University, fifteen to one.

DAVIS CUP TENNIS

MELBOURNE, Feb. 13.—Brilliant tennis marked the first formal practice of the Australian Davis cup here. J. O. Anderson defeated Gerald Patterson in a thrilling five set match by scores of 6-4, 4-6, 2-6, 6-3 and 6-4.

In the doubles exhibition Patterson paired with O'Hara-Wood, and defeated Anderson and Norman E. Brooks, 6-3, 6-

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MILLION DOLLARS IS REPUTED PRICE FOR NEW TRACK

TORONTO, Feb. 13.—The Ontario Jockey Club is said to have purchased 500 acres of the well-known Trethewey Farm on the Weston Road, between West Toronto and Weston. It is assumed that the club will build a new race course there. The price is said to have been in the neighborhood of $1,000,000.

The expectation is that Woodbine Park eventually will be sub-divided for building purposes.

JOIE RAY MAKES AN INDOOR RECORD

NEW YORK, Feb. 13.—Joie Ray, of the Illinois Athletic Club, tonight set a world's indoor record for the mile and a quarter by running the distance in 5 minutes 23 3-5 seconds. This is 5 1-5 seconds faster than the record, made on September 2, 1895, by Thomas Conneff, of the New York Athletic Club.

ATHLETIC FAMILY ISSUES CHALLENGE

FREELAND PARK, Ind., Feb. 13.—The Freeland Park basketball team today issued a challenge to the world—under conditions. The team is composed of five brothers, with a sixth brother acting as timekeeper, all between the ages of 18 and 26, and the challenge stipulates that the opposing team shall play under the conditions.

Frush Stops Circus

LORAIN, Ohio, Feb. 13.—Danny Frush, featherweight of Cleveland, knocked out K. O. Circus, of Pittsburg, in the ninth round of a ten-round bout here tonight.

Western Canada League — Calgary 4, Moose Jaw 2.

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WENATCHEE BRINGS FEW PASSENGERS

Admiral Liner Docked Last Night at Outer Wharf—Vessel Carried Heavy Cargo of Rice and Silk

Completing a voyage across the Pacific Ocean at a high speed and without being handicapped by inclement weather, the Admiral Line passenger liner Wenatchee steamed into the Outer Wharf last night about 6:30 o'clock. The liner reached quarantine about 4 o'clock during the afternoon. The Wenatchee had a passenger list of fifty, there being twelve persons disembarking at this port.

The steamer, which was in charge of Captain H. C. Thomas, bumped the Outer Wharves as she glided in. A number of those aboard the ship were somewhat scared that the recent accident of the Pine Tree State was going to be repeated, but happily there was no damage done other than a noticeable shaking of the wharf and boat alike.

The Wenatchee carried a heavy cargo, which consisted mainly of Chinese rice and silks. Over 200 tons of freight were discharged here, there being over 90 tons of rice, 51 cases and 31 bales of silk, in addition to the general freight. The vessel's total cargo consisted of 100 cases of silk goods and 2,000 bales of raw silk.

Had Perfect Weather

Officers of the ship said that the trip from Yokohama was one of the pleasantest experienced for a long time. The Wenatchee had splendid weather the whole way across, which greatly aided in making the journey in ten days' time, the boat having left Japan on March 4, at noon. While being only a day behind the Bessie Dollar, which experienced such an unfortunate trip, the Wenatchee completed the journey without anything happening to mar it in any way.

The Admiral liner sailed from the Outer Docks at 11 o'clock last night after discharging her cargo for Seattle, where the boat will remain for about 18 days according to present plans. The Wenatchee will probably leave the American port for Yokohama, Shanghai and Hongkong on March 4.

When asked concerning the rumor that the Wenatchee would be reassigned by the United States Shipping Board, officers of the liner declared that the report was foreign to them and that it was the first intelligence concerning the matter that they had received. They will hear word from the Shipping Board immediately, if such a proposal is decided upon, they pointed out.

Passenger List

The passenger list of the Wenatchee was as follows:

For Victoria: Mr. R. G. Ashton, Mrs. R. G. Ashton, Victoria, B.C., Miss A. L. Archer, Toronto, Ont.; Mr. C. N. Broglie, Vancouver, B.C.; Mrs. J. Clark, Victoria, B.C.; Mr. M. H. Throop, Mrs. M. H. Throop, Miss C. G. Throop, Miss R. Throop, Master E. N. Throop, Master M. J. J. Throop, Miss E. W. Throop, Albany, N.Y.

For Seattle: Mr. C. E. Ash, Toledo, Ohio; Mr. C. T. Bauman, Mrs. C. T. Bauman, Master J. F. Bauman, Ada, Ohio; Mrs. J. J. Bell, Newport, Vt.; Miss L. F. Bittinger, Baltimore, Md.; Miss A. Donelly, New York; Mrs. E. Eichberg, Cincinnati, Ohio; Mr. H. K. Ekblad, Chicago, Ill.; Mrs. F. R. Fitzsimmons, Master J. A. Fitzsimmons, Palma, Los Angeles, Cal.; Mr. Ernest Fuchs, Chicago, Ill.; Mr. M. P. Fox, Evanston, Va.; Mr. M. Gates, Cincinnati, Ohio; Mr. S. N. Galstaun, Yokohama, Japan; Mr. A. E. Greenus, Mrs. A. E. Greenus, Miss C. S. Greenus, Seattle, Wash.; Mrs. J. P. Jordan, Master S. E. Jordan, Nagasaki, Japan; Mrs. E. Kuhnle, Brooklyn, N.Y.; Mr. P. Lawrence, Flushing, Long I, N.Y.; Mr. F. C. MacMillan, Des Moines, Iowa; Mr. F. E. McCord, Chicago, Ill.; Miss E. Morhard, Cincinnati, Ohio; Miss M. Myott, Seattle, Wash.; Mr. L. F. Ng, Mr. P. Ng, Seattle, Wash.; Mr. L. C. Richmond, Mrs. L. C. Richmond, Miss H. E. Richmond, Miss M. A. Richmond, Ironton, Ohio; Mr. G. S. Schloss, Richmond, Va.; Mr. F. M. Scholtz, Harbin, Manchuria; Miss E. Stanton, New York City; Rev. M. J. Taylor, Philadelphia; Mr. J. Welkow, Naw York City, Mr. G. H. Wong, Seattle, Wash.

Could Not Eat

Constipation is caused by a torpid condition of the liver. Dosing with salts, castor oil, etc., to move the bowels, cannot afford more than temporary relief.

If you are to rid yourself of this ailment and the scores of annoying symptoms and diseases which come in its wake, it is necessary to get the liver right by such treatment as is suggested in this letter:

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Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills, one pill a dose, 25c a box, all dealers, or Edmanson, Bates & Co., Ltd., Toronto.

STEAMER QUEEN GOES INTO COMMISSION

SEATTLE, Feb. 13.—After six months' idleness the steamship Queen has been put back in commission, and sails for Southeastern Alaska points February 19, replacing the Spokane, which is being overhauled and fitted for the cannery season. A party of fifty men will sail on the Queen, bound for Shakan, Alaska, to reopen the Calder Mine of the Vermont Quarries Company, which has been in operation at Shakan since 1906.

Distinguished Travellers

SEATTLE, Feb. 13.—Among the passengers on the Steamship Pine Tree State which sails Saturday are Vice-Admiral Tomasaburo Kato and Vice-Admiral K. Nyeda, of the Imperial Japanese navy.

SHIPPING INFORMATION

Wireless Report
(By Government Wireless.)
Feb. 13, 8 A. M.

Estevan—Spoke str. E. D. Kingsley, Hubber Bay for San Francisco, 8 p.m., 136 miles south of Cape Flattery; spoke str. Santa Rita, Everett for San Pedro, 8 p.m., 942 miles north of San Pedro; spoke str. Wenatchee, 8 p.m., 459 miles from William Head, inbound; spoke str. Pielades, Vancouver for San Francisco, 8 p.m., 60 miles north of Blunt's Reef; spoke str. Steel Exporter, San Pedro for San Francisco, 8 p.m., off Point Piedras Blanco; spoke str. Enterprise, San Francisco for Hilo, 8 p.m., 225 miles from San Francisco; spoke Georgian Rolph, San Francisco for Portland, 8 p.m., 120 miles south of Columbia River; spoke str. R. J. Hanna, Pearl Harbor for San Pedro, 8 p.m., 1,141 miles from San Pedro; spoke str. Manulani, Seattle for Honolulu, 8 p.m., 234 miles from Seattle; spoke Dewey, San Pedro for Honolulu, noon, Feb. 12, 406 miles from San Pedro; spoke str. Tippecanoe, Cebu for San Pedro, 8 p.m., 593 miles from San Pedro; spoke str. Canadiam Inventor, San Francisco for Vancouver, 8 p.m., 380 miles from Cape Flattery; spoke str. Matsonia, Honolulu for San Francisco, 8 p.m., 512 miles from San Francisco; spoke str. Narenta, Colon for Vancouver, position later; spoke str. City of Victoria, Portland for Kobe, 8 p.m., off Columbia River, outbound; spoke str. Bessie Dollar, 8 p.m., 203 miles west of Cape Flattery; spoke str. Makura, 8 p.m., lat. 44.14 N., 123.03 W., outbound; spoke str. Alabama Maru, 8 p.m., lat. 52.08 N., long. 146.33 W., outbound; spoke str. Kashima Maru, 8 p.m., lat. 51.51 N., long 140.01 W., outbound.

8 p.m. Report

Estevan Point—Cloudy; southeast; 20.18; temperature 29; sea smooth, 5 p.m., steamer Fukumuru, bound for Yokohama; noon, 48.29 north, 131.20 west.

Cape Lazo—Snowing; northwest; 30.33; temperature, 26; sea smooth, thick seaward. Canadian Rover, Chatham Point; southbound.

Point Grey—Overcast; calm; 30.40; temperature, 32; sea smooth.

Steamship Anyox off Entrance Island, 7 p.m., northbound. 6:15 p.m., Canadian Scottish, bound for Esquimalt.

Alert Bay—Clear; calm; 30.40; temperature, 32; sea smooth.

Hull Harbor—Overcast; southeast; 30.23; temperature, 30; sea smooth.

Dead Tree—Snowing; calm; 30.36; temperature, 23; sea smooth.

Prince Rupert—Clear; calm; 30.28; temperature, 14, sea smooth. Steamship Princess Mary, 4:50 p.m., northbound.

Steamer Movements

VANCOUVER, Feb. 13.—Arrived: Challamba, San Francisco; K. I. Luckenbach, Seattle. Sailed: Alabama Maru, Tacoma.

SEATTLE, Wash., Feb. 13.—Arrived: Rosalie Mahoney, San Pedro; Admiral Dewey, Tacoma; Pine Tree State, Tacoma; Naples Maru, Mukilteo. Sailed: Italy Maru, Kobe; Everett, San Francisco; Princess, Tacoma.

ABERDEEN, Wash., Feb. 13.—Arrived: Manchester Shinner, Liverpool; Erie, San Pedro, Hartwood, San Francisco; Tanial Pais, San Pedro.

EVERETT, Wash., Feb. 13.—Arrived: West Ivan, Vancouver, B.C. Sailed: Roxburg, Sydney.

TACOMA, Feb. 13.—Arrived: Admiral Dewey, San Francisco; Stanwood, San Pedro; Ryder Hanify, San Francisco; West Ivan, Vancouver, B.C.; Princess, New York. Sailed: Pine Tree State, Manila via Seattle; Quinault, Seattle; Italy Maru, Kobe via Mukilteo; Admiral Dewey, San Francisco; Anyox, (Granby, B.C.; Selmacity, New York.

SAN DIEGO, Cal., Feb. 13.—Arrived: Angel, San Pedro. Sailed: Gryme, Ensenada; Angel, San Pedro.

PORTLAND, Ore., Feb. 13.—Arrived: Tijlebot (Dutch), Soerabaia, via San Francisco; Georgina Rolph, San Francisco. Sailed: Chloah, New York via Prescott.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 13.—Arrived: Pasadena, Albion; Multnomah, Astoria; Manukai, Hilo; Lewis Luckenbach, New York; Balboa, San Pedro; Rainier, Seattle. Sailed: Johanna Smith, Coos Bay.

Arrived

SHANGHAI, Feb. 9.—City of Spokane, Tacoma.

NEW YORK, Feb. 13.—West Catanace, Tacoma; Knoxville City, Tacoma.

YOKOHAMA, Feb. 7.—Hannwa, Portland, Ore.; Feb. 9, Tjisalak, San Francisco.

KOBE, Feb. 13.—Katori Maru, Tacoma; Feb. 9, Portland Maru, Bellingham; Yubari Maru, Tacoma.

SHANGHAI, Feb. 10.—Africa Maru, Tacoma; Sweden Maru, Portland.

LONDON, Feb. 11.—Minnesotan, Tacoma.

AVONMOUTH, Feb. 12.—Santa Rosalia, San Francisco.

Sailed

KOBE, Feb. 8.—Heijn Maru, Puget Sound; Ohio Maru, Seattle.

YOKOHAMA, Feb. 9.—Tokyia Maru, Seattle.

SHANGHAI, Feb. 10.—Canadian Highlander, Vancouver, B.C.; Manila Maru, Tacoma.

SYDNEY, N.S.W., Feb. 10.—Canadian Transporter, Vancouver, B.C.; Walruna, San Francisco.

LIVERPOOL, Feb. 11.—Hector, Vancouver, B.C.

HONGKONG, Feb. 11.—Tenyo Maru, San Francisco.

Steamer Arrivals

Metata at St. John from Liverpool.

Baltic at New York from Liverpool.

Albana at New York from Liverpool.

George Washington at New York from Southampton.

Carona at Gibraltar from New York.

TIDES AT VICTORIA
February, 1922

Day	Time	Ht.	Time	Ht.	Time	Ht.	Time	Ht.
	H. M.	Ft.	H. M.	Ft.	H. M.	Ft.	H. M.	Ft.
1 ..	6:37	8.2	16:45	6.5	18:41	8.8	19:44	4.7
2 ..	7:48	8.3	13:41	5.7	14:18	8.4	22:43	5.6
3 ..	7:36	8.6	14:26	5.3	20:11	6.1	23:36	5.7
4 ..	.....		2:05	8.7	15:20	4.7	.....	
5 ..	.....		3:23	8.3	16:21	4.1	.....	
6 ..	.....		9:40	6.0	17:09	3.4	.....	
7 ..	.....		9:31	6.2	17:55	2.8	.....	
8 ..	.....		10:16	6.2	18:40	3.2	.....	
9 ..	.....		11:17	6.4	19:24	1.6	.....	
10 ..	4:46	7.8	7:15	7.6	12:22	6.4	20:07	1.5
11 ..	5:42	8.0	8:13	7.8	13:26	5.8	20:46	1.6
12 ..	4:03	8.3	8:04	6.5	14:13	6.1	21:21	2.0
13 ..	4:36	8.5	16:03	5.2	12:14	8.8	22:14	2.6
14 ..	5:06	8.6	18:27	5.4	16:18	6.6	23:17	3.3
15 ..	5:43	8.7	11:32	4.8	17:24	7.4	23:40	4.0
16 ..	.....		6:21	8.8	12:57	4.4	16:03	8.6
17 ..	0:25	5.4	7:01	8.8	14:01	4.0	23:44	8.7
18 ..	1:04	5.4	7:42	8.6	15:06	3.7	.....	
19 ..	.....		3:22	8.4	16:04	3.4	.....	
20 ..	.....		6:02	8.3	17:09	3.6	.....	
21 ..	.....		9:48	8.1	17:31	3.1	.....	
22 ..	5:40	6.4	6:18	8.7	10:46	3.5	12:38	8.0
23 ..	4:05	6.4	7:20	7.8	11:40	4.4	18:25	7.0
24 ..	4:29	6.3	8:07	7.0	12:36	5.2	20:05	6.0
25 ..	4:43	6.6	8:46	7.0	13:34	5.1	20:40	5.6
26 ..	4:04	6.0	9:18	6.4	14:09	7.3	21:18	5.4
27 ..	4:14	6.1	9:54	6.1	14:23	7.6	21:48	5.3
28 ..	4:29	6.1	10:31	6.6	15:36	7.4	22:16	4.8

The Time used is Pacific Standard for the 120th Meridian west. It is counted from 0 to 24 hours, from midnight to midnight. The figures for height serve to distinguish High Water from Low Water. Where blanks occur in the tables, the tide rises or falls continuously during two successive tidal periods without turning.

The Height is in feet and tenths of a foot, above the average level of lower Low Water.

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SUNRISE AND SUNSET
Time of Sunrise and Sunset (Pacific Standard Time), at Victoria, B.C., for the month of February, 1922.

Day	Sunrise	Sunset	Day	Sunrise	Sunset
1	7:44	5:10	15	7:21	5:34
2	7:42	5:11	16	7:19	5:35
3	7:41	5:12	17	7:17	5:36
4	7:39	5:15	18	7:16	5:38
5	7:37	5:17	19	7:14	5:39
6	7:36	5:18	20	7:13	5:41
7	7:34	5:19	21	7:11	5:42
8	7:32	5:22	22	7:09	5:44
9	7:31	5:24	23	7:07	5:46
10	7:29	5:25	24	7:06	5:47
11	7:27	5:27	25	7:03	5:49
12	7:26	5:28	26	7:01	5:51
13	7:24	5:31	27	6:59	5:53
14	7:23	5:33	28	6:57	5:55

The Meteorological Observatory, Gonzales Heights, Victoria, B.C.

TRANSPACIFIC MAILS
February, 1922
China and Japan

Empress of Asia—Mails close Feb. 5, 7 p.m.; due Yokohama Feb. 14; due Hongkong Feb. 24.

Silver State—Mails close Feb. 4, 4 p.m.; due Yokohama Feb. 14; due Hongkong Feb. 24.

Kashima Maru—Mails close Feb. 10, 4 p.m.; due Yokohama Feb. 28; due Hongkong March 10.

Pine Tree State—Mails close Feb. 13, 4 p.m.; due Yokohama March 7; due Hongkong March 17.

Montenegro—Mails close Feb. 18, 7 p.m.; due Yokohama March 7; due Hongkong March 17.

Arabia Maru—Mails close Feb. 22, 4 p.m.; due Yokohama March 10; due Hongkong March 28.

Suwa Maru—Mails close March 5, 4 p.m.; due Yokohama March 18; due Hongkong April 1.

Australia and New Zealand

Sonoma—Mails close February 4, 4 p.m.; via San Francisco (Australia only).

Makura—Mails close Feb. 11, 8 a.m.; direct.

Tahiti—Mails close Feb. 27, 4 p.m.; via San Francisco.

Honolulu

February 2, 4, 6, 8, 12, 13, 19, 22, 4 p.m.; via San Francisco.

February 11, 8 a.m.; direct.

OTTAWA GOVERNMENT DECLINES R.M.S.P. OFFER

OTTAWA, Feb. 13.—The Government has refused the offer of the Royal Mail Steam Packet Company to provide a fortnightly mail, passenger, freight and steamship service between Canada and the British West Indies with new steamers of the size and type contemplated by the Canadian-West Indies agreement, on condition that the Government guarantee a minimum return of 7½ per cent on the capital cost of the ships for twenty years. This offer has been refused "in view of the possible heavy cost of the proposed new service."

Instead, the Government will continue to subsidize this company to the extent of $240,666.66 per annum for a service such as has been run in the past. The new contract between the company and the Government will contain an additional clause to the effect that if one or more of the ships now performing the service should have to be withdrawn by reason of inefficiency or other cause, then the contractors must use their best endeavors to replace such ships by suitable vessels.

WINTERY GALES TAKE TOLL OF FISHING FLEET

ST. JOHN'S, Nfld., Feb. 13.—Adding one more to the long list of losses to the Newfoundland fleet, the schooner Norma Strong was reported today abandoned at sea. Her crew landed safely at the Azores. The vessel, which had crossed the Atlantic with a cargo of fish, was returning from Cadiz with salt when a storm crippled her.

The schooner Czarina, another unit of the Newfoundland fleet, was reported dismasted in mid-ocean and making for Bermuda.

The coastal steamer Prosparo, caught in the ice in Notre Dame Bay during a storm several weeks ago, is still fast in the floe. In order to escape, the stewards and several other members of the crew picked their way over the ice to the shore, a distance of twenty miles, and followed the coast to St. John's.

To Investigate Disaster

WASHINGTON, Feb. 13. — The Steamship Inspection Service, of the Department of Commerce, announced today its New York office had been ordered to make a thorough investigation of the circumstances surrounding the destruction of the former army transport Northern Pacific, last Wednesday, while en route from New York to Chestar, Pa., as well as reports and rumors that the ship was undermanned at the time of the disaster.

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MUSTEROLE

BESSIE DOLLAR IS DUE EARLY TODAY

Disabled Freighter Sighted Last Night Off Pachena—Will Probably Anchor Off Esquimalt Harbor

Word which reached the city late last night, indicated that the disabled freighter, Bessie Dollar, would reach Royal Roads at the entrance to Esquimalt Harbor at 5 o'clock this morning. It was reported that the steamer was sighted at Pachena at 7:30 o'clock last night, when she was heading towards port.

Captain Ridley, who was in command of the freighter when it met with the accident, is improving after the injuries he received when the bridge of the vessel was stove in.

Mr. K. J. Burns, manager, and Captain Morton, shore superintendent of the Dollar Company, owners of the ship, are expected to arrive in Victoria this morning from Vancouver to inspect the freighter upon her arrival here. A representative of the underwriters will also be here.

According to word received from Mr. Burns, nothing will be done until the ship is given a cursory examination when she reaches an anchorage off Esquimalt. It is possible that the vessel will be taken into Esquimalt Harbor, although it is more than likely that she will pass straight on to Vancouver, where the damage, which is believed to be confined to her upper works, will be surveyed.

CHICAGO SPECULATOR TAKEN INTO CUSTODY

CHICAGO, Feb. 13.—Raymond J. Bischoff, taken into custody yesterday after involuntary proceedings in bankruptcy had been instituted against him by creditors, today admitted that he owes about $4,500,000, representing the savings of six thousand Chicagoans, mostly foreigners. Less than one million dollars' worth of oil and gas stock of doubtful value is available to meet the obligations, it was announced.

Bischoff, whose financial operations apparently rival those of Charles Ponzi, the Boston wizard, expressed relief when taken into custody by deputy marshals. He had received threats from those he is alleged to have fleeced, he said.

Skipper Died at Sea

HALIFAX, Feb. 13.—Capt. William Barker, master of the Western Union Cable Company's repair ship, Lord Kelvin, died suddenly at sea Saturday and was buried yesterday at St. Lucia, British West Indies, according to word received here yesterday.

Strike at Hongkong

HONGKONG, Feb. 12.—One hundred and seventy steamers, most of them British, with an aggregate tonnage of 250,000, are tied up over the week-end through the seamen's strike. Ocean traffic is paralyzed, while river steamer traffic is at a complete standstill.

Fire in Halifax

HALIFAX, Feb. 13.—The business district was threatened last night by fire which broke out in the upper story of a building at 535 Barrington Street, occupied by the Maritime Dantal Parlors, and five other firms. After some hard work, however, the fire was confined to the building, which was badly damaged by flames and water.

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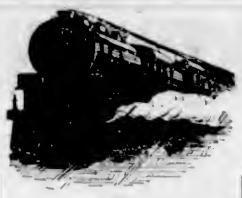

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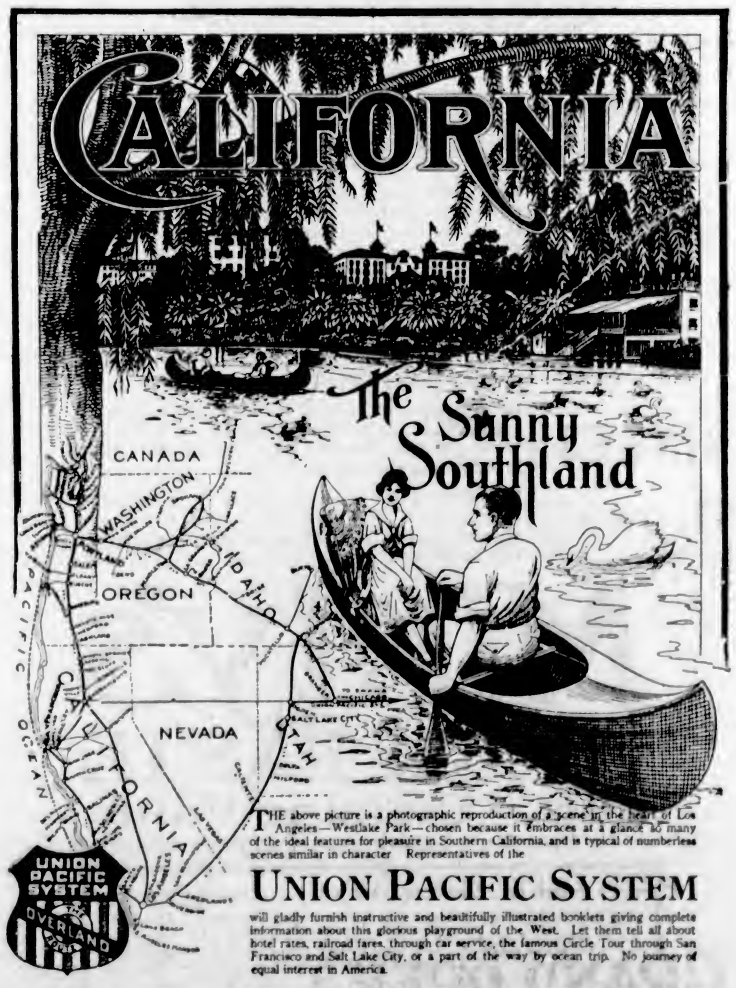

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Gas Well Catches Fire

WHITTIER, Cal., Feb. 13. — A pillar of flame, more than 400 feet high, shot into the air early today and caused a spectacular fire when a gas well at Santa Fe Springs, near here, became ignited through friction. Boring by the Union Oil Company for an oil well at the site struck a gas pocket at 2,000 feet on Saturday.

Samuel F. B. Morse, inventor of the telegraph, entered Yale at 15 years of age.

VICTORIA ARTISTS HEARD IN CONCERT

Large Audience Enjoyed Excellent Musical Programme Rendered by G.W.V.A. Band on Sunday Night

An excellent musical programme was given on Sunday evening last at the Capitol Theatre by the Great War Veterans' Association Band, under the conductorship of Bandmaster James M. Miller, assisted by three local soloists, whose offerings were delightfully rendered. The popular playhouse was comfortably filled when the musicians played the opening march, "The Vanished Army."

All of the band numbers proved pleasing to the audience, which was most generous in applauding the bandsmen for their efforts. Suppe's famous overture, "Poet and Peasant," was a favorite number, while "The Sling Boys on Broadway," a selection containing several popular compositions, was accorded warm applause. The two splendid classical selections, "Chanson Sans Paroles" and "Traumerei," were greatly appreciated. The audience enjoyed the musicians' playing of "Voyage on a Troopship," a number which was composed by Bandmaster Miller.

Miss Hilda Knight

The three assisting soloists were splendid. Miss Hilda Knight, whose rich contralto voice always draws a host of admirers, charmed her hearers by her singing of "Still as the Night." In response to continued applause the popular artiste sang, "I Love You" and "This Is My Task," very sympathetically. Miss Knight intends leaving in a few days for England, and her appearance at the Capitol Theatre on Sunday night was probably her last before she leaves Victoria.

A singer who shows great promise and was well received by her hearers on Sunday evening was Miss Ellen Bridge, a local artiste. Miss Bridge rendered Oley Speak's song number, "Morning," making a most favorable impression upon her audience. As an encore, she responded with "O Happy Blackbird," in which her soprano voice rang out clear and strong, her control and expression being particularly pleasing.

Mr. Harold Beckwith

Mr. Harold Beckwith, the popular president of the Gyro Club, contributed several well-chosen vocal numbers, and was accorded a rousing reception. Mr. Beckwith's baritone voice was heard to excellent advantage in the French version of the song, "O Richard, O Mon Roi," by Grelry. The artist was twice recalled, and gave as his first encore the darky melody, "Didn't It Rain," which was followed by an Irish love song, entitled, "Maire, My Girl." Both these numbers were given hearty applause.

Mrs. A. J. Gibson, who has most ably acted as accompanist at these weekly musical entertainments, again performed in that role and assisted materially in the success of the concert.

IRELAND'S TRADE GOES TO GREAT BRITAIN

OTTAWA, Feb. 13.—G. B. Johnson, Canadian trade commissioner in Glasgow, reports to The Commercial Intelligence Journal that the latest figures show Irish exports in 1920 were valued at £204,715,000, and imports at £203,750,000. An increase of £18,683,000 and £45,084,000 respectively as compared with 1919, is shown. Data for the analysis of the figures relating to 1920 were not available, but in 1919 Ireland exported goods to the value of £176,000,000, of which about £174,000,000, or 97 per cent, went to Great Britain.

Turning to the other side of the trade account, the imports, it was found that £132,000,000, or 83 per cent., were from Great Britain, and £24,000,000, or 17 per cent, from other countries, mostly the United States and Canada.

WINDSOR, Conn., Feb. 13. — Charged with having attempted to kill his wife by holding her on the railroad tracks before an approaching train, Joseph Stroff was held in jail here today. His wife's right leg was crushed and had to be amputated. Stroff was under the influence of liquor.

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What's at the Playhouses?

CAPITOL THEATRE A hidden wall, a wild chase after a villain by the heroine, in an old-fashioned carriage, a duel between the two principal male characters, a villain who could hardly be excelled in villainy—these are a few of the features of Sir Gilbert Parker's Paramount picture, "The Lane That Has No Turning," which was the attraction last night at the Capitol Theatre. Much favorable comment for the new star, Agnes Ayres, was heard on all sides. She was charming and acted superbly. The role she plays is a heavy and emotional one. Theodore Kosloff, Mahlon Hamilton, Frank Campeau and others have the leading male roles. The story concerns the marriage of Madelinette to Louis, and his supposed inheritance of an old estate in French-Canadian precincts. He is injured and develops a hunchback, but his wife sticks by him until he himself ends it and she marries Fournel, the rightful owner of the Seigneury. Victor Fleming directed the picture, which offers every opportunity to the star and the others in the cast. It was admirably produced.

ROYAL VICTORIA A great, gripping, human story transformed into life itself by way of the screen. Briefly, that summarizes "Stardust," the First National attraction, which was shown to an enthusiastic audience last night and which will be the feature at the Royal Victoria Theatre for the balance of this week. Hope Hampton, scintillating star, rises to new heights in this absorbing screen drama and wins fresh laurels as an artiste of the silent drama. She is splendid and convincing in the role of the forlorn little Lily Becker, of Paradise, whose ambitions are scorned at home, and she is equally magnetic and charming as the triumphant operatic star to whom the world pays tribute. The story, adapted by Anthony Paul Kelly from Fanny Hurst's immortal "Stardust," is given a remarkable interpretation on the screen. Abounding with human interest, tinged with love, pathos, tragedy and a crowning happiness, there is not a single dull moment in this great motion picture drama, which ranks with the best film productions of recent times. In addition to a good comedy and weekly, Miss Ivy Holt, the well-known contralto, will sing at both afternoon and evening performances. The two songs selected are: "Until," and "Bells of St. Mary."

DOMINION THEATRE A picture of exceptional merit and entertaining qualities is "Three Live Ghosts," a Paramount, which was shown at the Dominion Theatre last night with excellent results to the management and fans. The story of the three buddies who have been reported missing and who turn up alive after all, is one of tremendous interest. The production, by George Fitzmaurice, is high grade; the cast, headed by Anna Q. Nilsson and Norman Kerry, is artistic.

VARIETY THEATRE Whether humor or grim determination is the more powerful factor in achieving success, is the theme for Goldwyn's latest starring vehicle for Tom Moore. "The Great Accident," as a story, was read enthusiastically by two million readers, week by week, when the story appeared in serial form in The Saturday Evening Post. The rapidity with which the plot shapes itself towards a smashing climax will hold you enthralled. In this picture, which comes to the Variety Theatre for six days, Tom Moore is supported by Ann Forrest, a well-known Goldwyn actress, whose most successful recent interpretation was a leading role in "Dangerous Days." Jane Novak, whose superb acting in "The Roads of Destiny" will be eclipsed when this newer production is seen, and the inimitable Willard Louis, who in "Going Some," "The Roads of Destiny," and many other Goldwyn feature pictures, has created no small amount of fame and popularity for himself. Andrew Robson, as the father of Tom Moore, and the aspiring politician, Winthrop Chase, sr., presents a convincing portrayal of the politician who is going to put Hardiston on the map, "if he is elected." The situations in this picture possess a blend of humor and drama that will delight audiences wherever shown. Tom Moore, in a role to which he is so adapted, further enhances the entertainment value of this latest Goldwyn feature production.

COLUMBIA THEATRE Merit attaches to the production of "Playthings of Destiny," starring Anita Stewart, the Associated First National Pictures attraction, which opened an engagement of three days at the Columbia Theatre yesterday. Seldom has such a dramatic story been told so skilfully, and rarely has an author hit upon a series of instances so certain to hold the interest of an audience. Combine these with the excellent talent of the cast and the splendid settings and effects that have been procured, and "Playthings of Destiny" becomes worthy of classification with the best screen entertainments. Anita Stewart naturally has the stellar honors in the cast, but Herbert Rawlinson and Walter McGrail, as well as little Richard Headrick, do work which entitle them to the highest of praise for the histrionic ability they display. Each of them does a bit of character building which makes their roles as real as if they had spent their whole lives in the environment surrounding the characters.

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TODAY'S AMUSEMENTS

The Screen

Capitol—"The Lane That Had No Turning."
Columbia—"Playthings of Destiny."
Dominion—"Three Live Ghosts."
Royal Victoria—"Stardust."
Variety—"The Great Accident."

PRINCESS THEATRE Embarking upon the second week of what promises to be a long season, the Permanent Players, now at home at the Princess Theatre, are busily at work on the production of George Broadhurst's famous comedy, "Brown's in Town." Coming from the pen of the author of "Bought and Paid For," "The Man of the Hour," etc., the next week's play at the Princess commencing Wednesday, is sure to prove one of the most brilliant and scintillating and entertaining of the late crop of farce comedies. With an abundance of situations and climaxes, with a constant vein of comedy the result, a mirth-provoking comedy ranking second to none, is scheduled for appearance. In keeping with the policy of the management, a most clean, wholesome play, which at the same time boasts of long stays on Broadway, Chicago and wherever before produced, can be expected by the theatregoers of Victoria.

COMMUNITY CONCERT IS WELL PATRONIZED

Nineteen Hundred People Visit Drill Hall and Enjoy Fine Programme Given by 5th Regiment

The Saanichton quintette was no obstacle for the Crusaders' "A" basketball team Saturday night, at the Drill Hall, and the local boys took the tillers of the soil into camp to the pleasant tune of 48-12. And the score almost represents the nature of the evening's play. It is true that both teams were determined to win, but the Crusaders' aggregation was the superior of the two quintettes, and made the fact known by piling up a huge score. The game was refereed by George Allen. The teams were as follows: Crusaders—Buckett, Dowds, Cull, Leeming and A. Hole. Saanichton—Buckle, McRally, Malcolm, Stewart and Crawford.

The evening's programme was opened by a fifteen minutes' promenade band concert by the 5th Regiment Band. This was followed by a lively boxing bout, which was greatly enjoyed by the patrons, who numbered over 900. The participants were Trumpeter Jack Moraes, of the 5th Regiment, C.G.A., and Trumpeter Jack Short, of the 11th C.M.G. Brigade. Both boys, who weighed in at 110 pounds, put up a snappy fistic exhibition, and the bout was declared a draw. Corporal A. E. McIntyre refereed.

Dancing followed the basketball encounter and was continued until 11 o'clock. The 5th Regiment Band was in splendid form, and the dance programme was well received. During the evening refreshments were served by the regimental canteen. The first swim of the 12th Siege Battery Swimming Club was held in the large swimming pool. No less than fifty-two new members joined Saturday night. A large number of those patronizing the concert visited the swimming pool during the evening.

PRESENTATION MADE

Mrs. E. Carlow Recipient of Handsome Gift From Members of Order of Royal Purple

Mrs. E. Carlow was the guest of honor on Saturday afternoon at a tea given by members of the Order of the Royal Purple at the Empress Hotel. An interesting feature of the event was the presentation of a handsome tea and coffee service in Queen Anne pattern to Mrs. Carlow, in appreciation of her services rendered to the Order in the capacity of Honored Royal Lady of the Order of the Royal Purple for the past year. Mrs. W. A. Shaw, Past Supreme Officer, of Vancouver, made the presentation, which Mrs. Carlow received with an appropriate address of thanks.

Attending the presentation were Mrs. E. F. Simmons and Mrs. Elmer Johnston, both of Vancouver, and Mrs. D. W. Spence, Mrs. C. W. Brook, Mrs. O. A. Maddonald, Mrs. E. Greenwood, Mrs. H. Reed, Mrs. F. Chamberlain, Mrs. Leo Sweeney, Mrs. E. H. Butler, Mrs. Victor Clarke, Mrs. A. J. Patton, Mrs. R. G. Thompson, Mrs. G. C. Grant, Mrs. J. Pettlerew, Mrs. S. R. Lowe, Mrs. A. Hill, Mrs. D. W. Webster, Mrs. M. Sands, Mrs. W. Champion, Mrs. J. W. Gilles, Mrs. Hurtel, Mrs. T. Gaunt, Mrs. W. R. Revercomb, Mrs. Alex. Peden and Mrs. T. A. Raymond, who presided at the tea-table.

ROSSLAND'S MEMBER HERE

Following attendance at the recent meeting of the Provincial executive committee of the Conservative party at Vancouver, Mr. W. K. Esling, Conservative member for Rossland riding, arrived in the city on Saturday to visit Mr. William A. Braden, former Conservative member for Rossland, who is ill here.

The member for Rossland was a keen critic of the Government at the recent session of the Legislature, during the course of which he and Premier Oliver frequently clashed over the methods adopted by the latter as Minister of Railways in regard to the prosecution of work on the P. G. E. Railway. In a recent address which he made to his constituents following the session, Mr. Esling outlined the work of the session, his statement being a severe arraignment of the present Liberal administration in respect to its taxation policies, the P. G. E., over-expenditures on administration, etc. He firmly believes that the duty of an opposition is to criticise the government and its measures to the end that faults therein may be remedied. Along that line the member proved an active representative at the last session.

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CRUSADERS' REUNION WAS A BIG SUCCESS

Over Eighty Members Celebrate Banquet at Eighth Anniversary of the Inception of Organization

The most successful reunion banquet of the Crusaders Bible Class ever held since the inception of the organization, took place on Friday night last, in the Orange Hall, when the eighth anniversary of the class was celebrated. An excellent programme of music, toasts and speeches featured the gathering, there being over eighty members of the class present. Mr. Jimmie Buckett, the president, made an acceptable chairman and toastmaster.

The function served to reunite city members and those attached to the organization who are now residing in Up-Island centres or on the Mainland. The Crusaders' Class was organized on December 5, 1913, and the charter obtained on February 6, 1914. During the war many of its members served in the army, and several made the supreme sacrifice. The organization has been very active in athletic, social and philanthropic circles and has received general praise for the excellent work that it has accomplished.

In opening the banquet, Rev. J. L. Batty, pastor of the Centennial Methodist Church, which is the home of the Crusaders, assured those present that they could remain at his church, where they would always receive a warm and hearty welcome. "I am proud of you, and I hope that you may be successful in performing your serviceable work," Mr. Batty said.

Very Rev. Dean Quainton addressed the gathering, speaking in a humorous vein, and congratulating them upon their splendid spirit of co-operation and fellowship.

Many Toasts Drunk

The toast list was quite lengthy, but the proposers and those responding did full justice in witty and interesting speeches to the part on the programme assigned to them. Mrs. Bourke, the "Mother" of the class, received the honor of the initial toast. In reply, Mrs. Bourke said that she was celebrating her own birthday, which falls on the same day, as well as taking part in the birthday of the class.

A note of welcome to all present was sounded by Chairman Buckett, who requested all to make themselves perfectly at home. The toast to the class was proposed by Mr. Norton Young, who was profuse in his praise for the members of and the work done by the Crusaders. This was responded to by Mr. J. C. Dowds.

Mr. William Maynard, the class teacher, was eulogized by Mr. Clifford Reid, who referred to the able leadership of their teacher. The toast was heartily drunk and "three cheers" and the singing of "For He's a Jolly Good Fellow," was an excellent indication of the popularity and the esteem in which Mr. Maynard is held by the members.

In reply, Mr. Maynard featured the thought of "service," stating that the 100 per cent man was both a good player and a good loser. He said that to teach boys one must not drive, but lead them by giving examples. His remarks were greeted with vociferous applause.

President Buckett

The president, Mr. Buckett, was also toasted by the members, and in reply stated that the influence of the class had to a large degree made him what he was. The out-of-town members, the Sunday School and the guests were not overlooked, all of them being honored by toasts. Mr. J. C. Smith, a former teacher of the class, was present and addressed the Crusaders briefly.

Following the dinner programme, a musical entertainment of no mean description was conducted and proved an unqualified success. The Crusaders' Jazz Orchestra was on hand and prevented a single dull moment creeping into the gathering during the whole evening. The members who composed the orchestra were Messrs. Joe Parker, Peter Harris, Jimmy Corkle, Harry Savage and Clarence Holder.

Vocal solos were given by Messrs. George Anderson, Eddie Blair, Andy Smillie, Arthur Hole and Gordie Leeming, all of which were heartily encored. Mr. William Erickson addressed the meeting briefly. Yorkie brought the house down by his ventriloquism. He also presented a number of conjuring stunts, in which he was assisted by Messrs. Gordie Leeming and A. Smillie. Several sketches were staged by the members, while Mr. William Maynard contributed "Little Crumbs of Happiness," as a cornet solo, and later gave a short outline of his experiences as a Crusader. Snappy musical selections by the orchestra rounded out a delightful musical evening. The affair was concluded by the singing of the National Anthem.

DUNCAN

DUNCAN, Feb. 13.—His many friends will be sorry to learn that Mr. Emmett Pourier is now confined to the Kings Daughters' Hospital, Duncan. He was operated on yesterday for appendicitis, and today is reported to be doing as well as could be expected. It was Mr. Emmet Pourier who did such gallant work in rescuing the little Misses Pamela Thornton and Gwen Owen when a disastrous fire broke out in Mr. Thornton's apartments on January 2, which subsequently caused the death of Mr. C. G. Thornton, who succumbed several days later from burns and shock.

Toronto Libel Action

TORONTO, Feb. 13.—Notice of action for libel was served on The Toronto Daily Star on Saturday by the legal firm of Miller, Ferguson & Hunter, acting on behalf of Hon. G. Howard Ferguson. Mr. Ferguson objects to the comment in that newspaper on the judgment of Justice Logie against the Shevlin Clark Co.

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SAYS TAXES CRUSH RETAIL MERCHANTS

Stores Cannot Stand Additional Impost by Municipality While Provincial Tax Stays, Chamber of Commerce Hears

Business in Victoria is already being severely crushed between the revenue-collecting agencies of the Provincial and Federal Governments and the municipalities, and cannot bear an additional burden without grave danger, according to a statement presented to the directors of the Chamber of Commerce at their luncheon in Spencer's yesterday, by Mr. Eli Gamlen.

Mr. Gamlen criticized a report of the Taxation Committee, headed by Major H. Cuthbert Holmes, which advocated a trades licence tax based on business rentals. The committee's recommendation was supported by Mr. Fred Landsberg.

The directors will augment the committee by adding three retailers to it, and the report will be referred back to the new committee for revision, as suggested by Mr. Gamlen.

"It must be remembered that, while merchants pay a personal income tax, the money doesn't go to the cities," declared Mr. Landsberg. "We haven't drawn up a report without studying conditions, and we found from almost every city that they could tax traders. The present system is unfair. The biggest wholesale establishments pay no more to the city than the small merchants. Downtown stores, with their valuable stocks, get the benefit of fire and police protection, lighted and well-paved streets, and every other facility. They ought to pay to the city that gives them those services."

"They pay all right, but the money goes to the Government," said Mr. J. L. Beckwith.

"The merchants are squeezed between the two," said Mr. Gamlen.

"Our committee was dealing with municipal taxation and nothing else," Mr. Landsberg explained.

"Grossly Unfair"

Mr. Gamlen's letter follows:

"I have read the report of your committee on taxation that appeared in the press on 7th inst., and I am amazed that such a body of men (happily only one is a retailer) should make such a grossly unfair, hastily considered, ill-advised and abortive recommendation as the assessment of rental values as a basis for a business tax in substitution of the trades licence in the City of Victoria.

"The report is particularly injurious to the Victoria merchant, especially the larger merchant, as it casts an asjersion upon him by conveying the impression to all and sundry that he is not paying his quota to the city; that he is not shouldering his portion of the burden; that he is shirking his responsibility and that he is getting off ludicrously light. It further endeavors to shame him into paying increased taxes by comparing methods of assessing a business tax in other cities with the method of assessing trade licences in Victoria.

"Your committee also wish to convey the impression that they speak with the full knowledge of the facts, as they have obtained data from a number of Canadian cities. With this information before them, they cannot conscientiously put in a plea of ignorance. Then what motive prompted them to withhold the fact that no provincial income tax and no personal property tax is collected in Winnipeg? Why did they not tell you that British Columbia and Prince Edward Island are the only two provinces in Canada that collect a provincial income tax? (my althority for this statement is the report of the assessment and taxation commission of Manitoba 1919). If your committee were sincere in their recommendation, would it not have been fair for them to have shed more light upon the different systems in vogue as a whole in the various provinces, and to have told you that the business tax on rental values finally became a substitute for the personal property tax, which was abolished in Winnipeg in 1893?

Prefers Income Tax

"Would not such an unbiassed and plain statement of the facts have appealed to you and to every business man in Victoria? Is there a merchant in Victoria who would not readily accept the proposal of a business tax of 6 2-3 per cent of his rental value if the alternative tax on his personal property or income, his provincial income tax and his trade licence were abolished? On the other hand, is there a Winnipeg merchant who would calmly submit to the imposition of an alternative tax on personal property or income, a personal provincial income tax, in addition to his business tax of 6 2-3 per cent of his rental value? Let us compare the system operating in British Columbia with the system in Manitoba so that we may get an idea how they work out in actual practice. Let us suppose a merchant in Victoria and a merchant in Winnipeg (1) Invests $200,000 in stock and fixtures, (2) rents a store at $1,000 a month, (3) that he operates a department store containing twenty departments as listed in the Victoria City By-Law. Provided insufficient profits had been made the Victoria merchant would pay:

Personal Property Tax	$2,000
Business Licence	300
	$2,300

The Winnipeg merchant would pay:

Business Tax 6 2-3 per cent of $12,000	$ 800
Personal Property Tax	nil
	$ 800

"From the foregoing it will be seen that the Victoria merchant would pay nearly three times the amount of the Winnipeg merchant, and yet your committee would add to the Victoria merchant's burdens and make it more difficult for him to carry on his business.

"The reference in your committee's report to the difference between the amount paid by the smallest and the largest trader is palpably unfair and misleading. The words in the main save the remarks from being deliberately untrue, but a special reference to the fact that department stores pay $15 a year for each department listed in the by-law—provided more than five people are employed in the whole store,—would not have conveyed the impression that the biggest trader is getting off with something less than he should pay. I hold no brief for the largest stores, but it must not be forgotten that as they carry large stocks of merchandise and have invested thousands of dollars in fixtures, the tax on their personal property must be no mean item. It may not be out of the way to suggest that this would run from $5,000 to upwards of $10,000 a year.

Increase Inevitable

"The report also seems to carry with it the assumption that the merchant does not own any land; that he is not affected by the assessment on land values, and that he will not have to bear his just proportion of the increased cost of taxation, which appears inevitable from the fact that lands are reverting to the city and also as a result of the inability to reduce expenditures to any marked degree. The truth is that not a few own the premises they occupy, and those who do not pay indirectly in the form of rent. It is estimated that, in addition to personal property tax, or alternative tax, on income, and the trades licence, one of our largest stores pays more than $15,000 a year in city taxes. How unjust, how unfair, how inequitable, the recommendation becomes when the situation is thus unfolded and laid bare. The burden cannnot, should not, and must not be laid upon one section of the community. Proposals for increased taxation must be worked out with equity and the burden distributed.

"What is needed today in the City of Victoria, and before any more burdens are placed upon the merchant, is the abolition of the personal property tax. (This, of course, would affect the whole province.)

"The assessment and taxation commission in their report to the Manitoba Government in 1919, state: "The break down of the personal property tax is admitted everywhere. Very early in the history of Manitoba, as in Ontario and elsewhere, it gave rise to serious inequities. Owing to its failure to reach all classes of personal property it fell with excessive weight on those it did reach. In particular it became a burdensome tax on the stock-in-trade of the merchant. This state of affairs led to its abandonment by the city of Winnipeg in 1893 and the substitution of a business tax such as already existed in Montreal and Quebec.

"The commission further stated, and I should like special attention to be called to this observation: The abolition of the personal property tax, with its excessive burden on the stock-in-trade of the merchants, and the substitution therefor of the business tax, was widely believed to be partly responsible for the rapid development of Winnipeg as a distributing centre of Western Canada.

"An Imperfect Measure"

Comparing the business tax on rental value with the personal property tax it supplanted the report says: "The rental value on business is as a fiscal instrument greatly superior to the personal property tax. It is none the less clear, from the whole tenor of the evidence placed before the Commission, that the practical operation of the business tax on its present basis leaves much to be desired. Annual rental value is, as between different classes of business, a very imperfect measure of the income earned. The system has been tried out in cities and larger towns of the Province, and in the opinion of many who appeared before the Commission, while working fairly satisfactorily as far as operation is concerned, does not produce the revenue necessary for the requirements as a supplement to the tax on lands and buildings, and in many cases appears to work unjustly and inequitably as between those engaged in certain classes of business, noticeably the retail merchant as compared to the wholesale merchant, and fails to reach adequately, and in many instances not at all, many persons in the community.

"To amplify our views regarding the inequity between the retail and wholesale merchant, the fact is apparent and must be admitted, that under a tax on the basis of rental value, retail traders, who, by the nature of their business, are compelled to occupy highly rented premises on the leading thoroughfares, fare badly as compared with the wholesale merchants doing a much larger business and earning relatively high profits.

"After a very exhaustive investigation the Commission finally conclude that the fairest tax on business is a tax on net profits. With this finding every business man will agree."

Old Mining Man Dead

MONTREAL, Feb. 13 — John Adams Smith, well known in Canadian mining circles, died on Saturday after a long illness.

Good News for Housewives!

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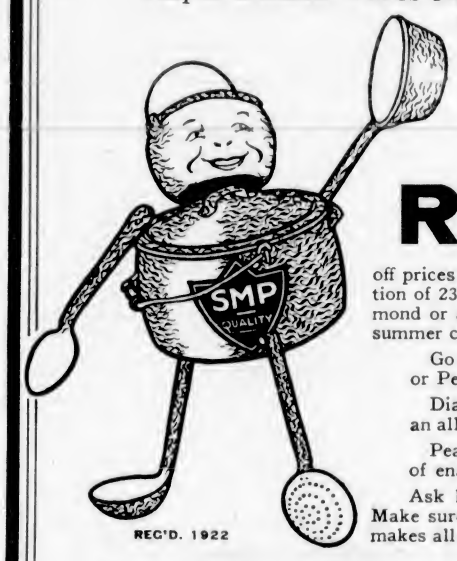
YOU know SMP Diamond Ware and SMP Pearl Ware. They're the extra hard-faced enameled kitchen wares with the shield trade-mark—the most staple kitchen wares on the market. These wares are now being sold in the stores at



20% Reduction

off prices prevailing last fall. This follows a big reduction of 23% made last summer. In other words, a Diamond or a Pearl Ware pot that was sold for $1.50 last summer can now be bought for 90c.

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Movie Beauty Gains 10½ Pounds in 22 Days *through* IRONIZED YEAST

ANOTHER startling evidence of Ironized Yeast's value as a weight-builder! In a test conducted under the supervision of a registered physician, Miss Dorothy Byrne, pretty artist's model and movie beauty, gains 10½ pounds—in only 22 days! Miss Byrne's measurements, taken before and after the test, are given below.

A striking example—yet by no means an exceptional one. For it is not at all unusual for thin, nervous, over-worked or run-down folks to gain five pounds and more on the *very first package of Ironized Yeast!*

Results in Half the Usual Time!

Ordinary yeast vitamine preparations have in many cases been known to bring good results. But thousands now know that Ironized Yeast, the *scientifically correct* vitamine tonic treatment, brings results often in just half the usual time!

One reason for this marked superiority is that Ironized Yeast, besides containing just the right amount of all three essential vitamines, contains a type of yeast which has positively no equal as a reconstructive agent—a yeast which is cultured expressly for medicinal purposes, and which is entirely different from the yeast found in ordinary "yeast tablets."

Yeast Best When Ironized

But even more important than this is the fact that this yeast has been *ironized*—or treated through a scientific process with a special form of easily assimilated organic iron, similar to the iron found in spinach. When yeast is ironized in this manner it is found that results are not only more permanent, but are secured just twice as quickly.

Watch the Quick Improvement

You will certainly be amazed at the quick improvement IRONIZED YEAST shows in you. Note how it immediately increases your appetite and how quickly you begin putting on good firm flesh. See how quickly pimples, blackheads, etc., disappear and how your newly acquired "pep" makes hard work or play a pleasure instead of a task. Try IRONIZED YEAST today! Pleasant to take—will not cause gas or in any way upset your stomach. Special directions for children.

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IRONIZED YEAST is sold at all drug stores on a positive guarantee that the first package will bring satisfactory results—or your money instantly refunded. Or mail coupon for the amazing Three Day Free Trial Treatment. In either case you do not risk a single penny to learn of the wonderful benefits Ironized Yeast holds for you. Get it today!

Miss Byrne's Measurements

Taken before and after her 22 day test of Ironized Yeast

	Nov. 10	Dec. 2	Gain
Weight	105 lbs.	115½ lbs.	10½ lbs.
Bust	29 in.	31½ in.	2½ in.
Calf	12 in.	13 in.	1 in.
Arm	9½ in.	10 in.	½ in.
Neck	12¼ in.	12¾ in.	½ in.

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LATE LT.-GOVERNOR LEFT BIG ESTATE

Will of Hon. T. W. Paterson Leaves Estate Valued at $695,000 to Widow and Nephew

Details of the will of the late Hon. T. W. Paterson, who died last August, and who was formerly Liberal member for the Islands in the Legislature and later Lieutenant-Governor of British Columbia, was made public yesterday.

The will, as granted probate by the courts, covers an estate valued at more than $695,000, and consists of personal estate amounting to $378,603, and real estate valued at $316,311.

Included in the real estate is the three hundred and twenty-acre Inverholme farm situated on the Delta, which was left to Mr. A. D. Paterson, M.P.P. for Delta, who has been managing the farm for some time. Mr. Paterson is a nephew of the late Hon. T. W. Paterson. This property is valued at fully $237,600. All the rest of the estate was given to his wife intact and without any qualifications. Mrs. Paterson is made sole executrix of the estate, and is at present living at the Paterson home in the Uplands.

Contents of Estate

The estate consists, besides the farm, chiefly of mortgages, with some real estate investments and bond holdings, and no life insurance is included in the list of properties. The will was made on April 20, 1906.

The real estate includes the following: Moresby Island, in the Gulf of Georgia, used by Mr. Paterson as a private game preserve, valued at $20,000; the family home in the Uplands, Victoria, with its private water frontage, valued at $21,348; the former Paterson home, 1162 Fort Street, Victoria, valued at $18,000; a half lot at the corner of Haro and Thurlow Streets, Vancouver, valued at $10,000. There are also a number of small pieces of property in various parts of the Province, including a piece in the Prince Rupert district valued at $2,710.

Some Mortgages

The mortgages are on Victoria and British Columbia properties almost exclusively. They include: $35,000 on the Vancouver County Orange Hall; $25,000 on the Simon Leiser property, Victoria; $35,000 on the Victoria Phoenix Brewery, and a number of smaller mortgages on private homes in this city. There is also $50,000 which was advanced to the Paterson Timber Co., of which Mr. Paterson was the head.

The total mortgage holdings amount to $291,423.

Cash on hand at the time of his death amounted to $24,075, including $12,597 in the savings department of the Canadian Bank of Commerce in this city and $3,027 in the savings account of the Royal Bank of Canada in Vancouver.

There are also promissory notes for advances to various persons prominent in public life amounting to $5,602.

Bank and other stock holdings include $5,000 Canadian war bonds, $12,600 Delta Dyke and Drainage debentures, $10,000 Canadian Realty Corporation bonds, $2,500 in the Union Club, and $2,500 in the Colwood Golf Links.

London Police Over Zealous

LONDON, Feb. 13.—The activities of the London police in their enthusiasm to make the streets of the city safe for women are causing some uneasiness among the public. No fewer than seven convictions for annoying women recently have been quashed on appeal, one being a Salvation Army officer of 35 years' standing, and another a well known Oxford University student.

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DEALS WITH PARKS AS NATIONAL ASSET

Col. W. W. Foster Addresses Gyro Club—Tells of Wonderful Scenic Sections Set Aside for People

Parks as a national asset, was the subject on which Colonel W. W. Foster, of Vancouver, addressed the Gyro Club yesterday at the weekly luncheon, held in the private dining-room of the Hudson's Bay Store.

It was the bounden duty of the nation, said Colonel Foster, to set aside its choicest scenic portions as national parks, for the use of the people, for all time.

Referring to the claim of some people, that national parks were used by only a comparatively few, the speaker admitted that this was so at present, but looked forward to the time when the use of these scenic assets would be general.

The refining influence of great outdoor scenes upon those privileged to view them was impressed by the speaker.

Colonel Foster told of the wonders of the present parks, touching on those in the Rocky Mountains, along the lines of the C.P.R. and the Canadian National system. He also grew enthusiastic over the Strathcona Park, on Vancouver Island, and told of having once stood on a high peak there and looked out to the Pacific on the west and east to the Coast range on the Mainland.

The mountains of British Columbia were a great commercial asset, said Colonel Foster. The immediate returns from each tourist should not be taken as evidence of their value to the Province, for they were an important advertising agency, and new settlers resulted from their visits.

The Gyro orchestra provided the musical entertainment at the luncheon.

Karl Marx, the great German socialist, was town constable for a time.

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HUMANE SOCIETIES PUBLIC BENEFACTORS

Sign of Moral and Spiritual Progress That Public Is Beginning to Realize Importance of S.P.C.A. Work.

The following reports were read by Miss Dora Kitto, honorary secretary; and Mr. Maurice, the Inspector, at the annual meeting of the Victoria Branch of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals held recently at the Union Bank Building:

Secretary's Report

In a brief report it is not possible to cover all the work dealt with by this society in the past year, for we have done a very great deal, and we have reason to be grateful for increased interest and support. The public is beginning to realize that humane societies are public benefactors and that human treatment of animals is a sign of moral and spiritual progress.

Amongst the many matters dealt with, outside of our inspector's report, have been the improvement of roads, inspection of wood yards and lumber camps, moving pictures, shipment of poultry and cattle, motor traffic and animals, performing animals, park animals, posting of signs, the old horse traffic in England and bull-fighting in France, the criminal code, etc. We also conducted a very successful Humane Week, during the first week in May, this being now an annual event throughout Canada. A tearoom was run during that week and an entertainment given in Christ Church schoolroom. A most successful tag day, under convenorship of Mrs. Burton, was held and our fund materially increased thereby.

Our thanks are due to those clergy of all denominations who made an appeal for better treatment of animals on Humane Sunday, but we wish that this appeal could be more generally recognized. The action of the Presbyterian Church and the Episcopal Church in the United States in supporting humane work and the letter sent out by the Pope of Rome to his clergy, asking that kindness to animals should be preached and taught, should have a very beneficial effect.

Miss Marion Heming and her pupils have rendered constant service. In December last they gave the society the entire proceeds of a concert in the Empress Hotel and have also sent regular contributions from their collection box.

To those boys and girls who provided us with an entertainment last February, in Christ Church schoolroom, the society tenders grateful thanks. The co-operation of the children is one of the most desirable features of our work. Many new members have also been enrolled in the Band of Mercy.

In September we held a most successful social evening which brought increased interest in the doings of the S.P.C.A. Several new members were enrolled and the names of several members added to the Jack London Club, which now has many thousands of supporters throughout the civilized world. The question of performing animals has received prominence of late through the interest taken in the British House of Commons over the Performing Animals' Bill. All humane workers are still urging the importance of a bill to prohibit animal shows.

The gift made by Miss Snow (of the Edmonton Shelter, O.D.L., London), of portable lethal boxes, has been of great value and the boxes are in constant use. We also received from Mrs. W. R. Burton the gift of a camera, which is very necessary to our work.

Grants of $10 each have been received from the Municipalities of Esquimalt and Oak Bay, and the society is very grateful for these additions to the fund. So much work is done and could still be done in outlying districts, but trips to up-island places take both time and money. The organization of other societies not only on this Island, but in all towns throughout Canada, is necessary to the advancement of the work.

Humane Societies everywhere are watching with keen interest the passage of certain animal protection bills in England and elsewhere, and workers are thoroughly alive to the necessity of having parliamentary and civic representatives who are sympathetic to their cause. In England, recently, there have been five bills for helping animals before the House, and it is no uncommon thing to find some of our most enthusiastic humanitarians sitting up in the House night after night—often till midnight—in the hope of getting a reading for a bill. Men and women will travel from one end of the country to the other, sometimes, in order that they may attend a meeting to help for protection of animals.

It is a noticeable fact that so many actors and writers are interested in promoting the welfare of animals. This, probably, is because they are blessed with imagination. Miss Eva Moore, (Mrs. Henry Esmond) told a little story at a meeting of the Canine Defence League in London, recently, which illustrates this fact. When she was touring Canada with her husband this Spring, she was spending a short time in a Prairie town when she received a very hurried line from Lady Martin Harvey, who was also on tour with Sir John Martin Harvey and Company. The note ran as follows: "Dear Eva, I have not a moment to spare. Leaving Saskatchewan at once. A stray dog at Hull; find it a home." When you are touring and have only a few days in each place it is not easy to find homes for stray dogs, but Miss Eva Moore succeeded in finding it a home and telegraphed to Lady Martin Harvey that her wishes had been fulfilled.

We hope to start the ensuing year with increased interest and energy for the work before us. 1922 will commemorate the centenary of the first bill in England for the protection of animal life (Martin's Bill), and in 1924 we shall commemorate the hundredth anniversary of the first humane society, the R.S.P.C.A., in England. In mentioning this anniversary we desire to thank Mr. R. A. Birkett, of Victoria, for the photograph of his grandfather, Mr. J. Delam, for 45 years secretary of the R.S.P.C.A. Surely, a long record of service!

In conclusion, our grateful thanks are extended to Miss Ada Saunders for collections and for the use of her studio, the Dean of Victoria for the use of Christ Church schoolroom; City Engineer Preston, City Prosecutor C. L. Harrison, Curtis Sampson, hon. auditor; our counsel, Lindley Crease, Esq., K.C.; Veterinary Surgeon H. Keown, the City, District and Provincial Police, the Press, and all those who have contributed in any way to the success of the past year. The energy and splendid co-operation of the officials of our society have been rendered in a spirit of devotion to a cause deserving of whole-hearted support.

DORA KITTO,
Honorary Secretary.

Inspector's Report

Mr. Chairman and Members of the Society:

I have the honor to submit herewith the report of the work done by the Victoria branch of the S.P.C.A. up to the end of October 31.

I have from time to time visited all work in the city where horses have been used. I have visited sawmills, weekly markets, stock sales and the city pound, and would like to remark on the excellent way this latter place is conducted by Poundkeeper Sankey.

We have this year covered a large area investigating cases on the Gulf Islands, and going as far afield as Banfield Creek.

Total number of cases dealt with by the society, 208; cases in court 9, and convictions 9. Horses, 24; destroyed, 4; dogs, 33; destroyed, 1; cats, 40; destroyed, 23; poultry, 9, sheep, 6; park animals, 3; cattle, 12, rats and mice, 2; birds, 3; goat, 1; miscellaneous, 7; cases of poisoning, 5; moving pictures investigated, 3.

I would like to bring to your notice the case of the abandoned rat, some 30 odd having been destroyed. It is hard to realize people being so callous, and the society will prosecute the first time an owner can be traced, as apart from the cruelty, this involves a heavy drag on the society's funds, and takes up much of the inspector's time. The lethal box sent from London has proved the most useful present. We owe a debt of gratitude to Mr. Preston, the City Engineer, for gravel boxes, in particular the one placed on Fernwood Hill, which was badly needed, and placed there within two days of our request.

In conclusion I would like to thank Dr. Keown for his ever-ready and willing response to all calls at all times, the members of all the police forces for their courteous assistance whenever asked for, and to your committee for their very cordial co-operation.

T. MAURICE.

Financial Statement

Balance on deposit November, 1920	$ 230.12
Collections	1,972.25
	2,202.37
Paid out	1,019.67
Balance on deposit November 8, 1921	$1,182.70

Policyholders of the Mutual Life of Canada Enjoy a Record Year of Financial Prosperity

Striking Statements from Addresses

Mr. Hume Cronyn, President:—

"To one outside of insurance circles, there can be nothing more astounding than the resiliency inherent in a properly-managed Life Company. The ability of such a concern to function successfully during a world-wide convulsion is, doubtless, a most striking tribute to its solidity, but the rapidity with which it returns to prosperity in normal times is an almost happier spectacle.

"From time to time we have evidence that the gospel of mutuality is leading the insurance world into the higher paths of an ideal system. The latest convert, The Provident Life and Trust, of Philadelphia, following the notable examples of the Metropolitan, Prudential, Equitable and Home, has announced its intention of redeeming its stock and turning over to its policyholders one hundred and twenty millions of assets and over half a billion of business. Thus does this firmly established and well managed concern bear testimony to the strength of altruistic co-operation."

Mr. R. O. McCulloch, 1st Vice-President:—

"This Company has always had complete faith in our Great West and nothing in the present situation shakes our confidence in its tremendous agricultural possibilities and its ultimate progress and development. We recognize that the West is going through a period of adversity, but it will survive this setback as its people are industrious, stout-hearted and confident. We know that our agricultural prosperity is necessary for the growth and development of Canada and our policy, as far as we can follow it, consistent with the principle of safety, is to continue to invest in first mortgages on improved Western farms."

Mr. C. M. Bowman, Chairman of the Executive:—

"The bond purchases made during 1920 and 1921, many of them being of unusually long term and high interest yield and representing fully sixty per cent. of the Company's total bond holdings, will be an important factor in connection with the return from invested funds for many years, thus enabling participating policyholders of the Mutual Life to look forward with confidence to the future."

Mr. Charles Ruby, General Manager:—

"No finer demonstration could be desired of the solid foundation upon which a well managed life insurance company rests than this quick rebound from the financial strain occasioned by the late war and influenza epidemic. Nor could there well be a better augury in regard to dividends to policyholders in the coming years. While there may always be discussion on the general topic of whether the participating or the nonparticipating system in life insurance is the better plan for an applicant, the experienced holders of participating policies in the Mutual Life of Canada, at any rate, will have no difficulty in satisfactorily settling the question so far as they are concerned.

"The most significant item in the annual reports of a life insurance Company doing business on the participating plan is not the amount of Surplus shown by the Balance Sheet but the Surplus Earnings for the year."

Unprecedented Profit Earnings

A REMARKABLE increase in the surplus earnings of the Mutual Life Assurance Company of Canada was shown by the Fifty-Second Annual Statement, as presented at the Annual Meeting of the policyholders held in the Head Office of the Company at Waterloo, Ontario, on Thursday, February 2nd.

The entire net profits, or Surplus Earnings of the year's operations will be, as usual, ultimately distributed to the policyholders of the Mutual in cash or applied to the reduction of their premiums or added to the face values of the policies, as per policyholders' individual option. Three factors have combined to bring about this red-letter year in the annals of the Company.

1. Decrease in Expense Ratio

The percentage of the Total Income required for operating expenses was reduced from 20.45% in 1920 to 18.60% in 1921.

2. Increase in Interest Earnings

The average rate of interest earned by the investments of the Company shows an increase from 6.41% in 1920 to 6.60% in 1921.

3. Highly Favorable Mortality

The mortality rate of 1921 was the lightest experienced by the Company in recent years, being relatively 20% less than in 1920.

Surplus Earnings of $2,243,038, being $46.47 per $1,000 of Total Assets

The combined effect of these three different factors in the Company's experience for 1921 was to increase the surplus earnings

from $38.67 per $1,000 of assets to $46.47 per $1,000

Salient Points from the 1921 Report

Income,	$11,059,484	Assets,	$ 48,211,204
Paid to Policyholders,	$ 3,872,874	Business in Force,	$228,697,353

General Surplus Funds, - - $5,790,520.70

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THE MUTUAL LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY OF CANADA

WATERLOO — ONTARIO

DR. SMITH SPEAKS ON DIVINE HEALING

Large Audience Hears Principal of Westminster Hall in Lecture Hall of St. Andrew's Church.

The lecture hall of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church was crowded to overflowing on Friday evening when the Rev. Dr. Smith, the noted educationist and preacher, and principal of Westminster Hall, Vancouver, lectured on divine healing. The Rev. Dr. Campbell occupied the chair. The lecturer held the interest of his audience for an hour, and at times he was interrupted by applause. He showed how that the idea and practice of divine healing was nothing new, or the peculiar possession of any particular church or society. Away back in Old Testament times the Jew thought of God not only as one who forgave sin, but also as one who healed diseases, Jewish theology closely related sin and disease with each other, and special provision was made in the Levitical law for the maintenance of sanitary conditions most conducive to health.

Divine Healing

The idea of divine healing so familiar in the Old Testament was found intensified in the New Testament. Jesus not only forgave sin, but also healed sickness and disease. The lecturer emphasized the fact that Jesus invariably sought to create a suitable physical and mental background prior to the actual healing of the sick. In the case of the man born blind, why did Christ anoint the blind man's eyes with a mixture of clay and spittle? Surely there was no medicinal virtue in such treatment. It was the Master's method of arousing expectancy and faith, which would appear to be necessary to enable Christ to perform the miracle. At one time in one place the Master declared himself unable to perform many mighty works because of unbelief. A careful study of Christ's healing methods would reveal that he generally sought to create in the mind of the sufferer a state or condition which would bring him into harmony with divine healing power.

Faith Cures

Dr. Smith said that the belief in, and practice of, divine healing continued after Christ's death, through the Apostolic Age, the Dark Ages, and the Reformation. He cited the case of Martin Luther praying for the physical recovery of Philip Melanchthon. He also sketched the present day activities of faith healers in connection with the Roman Catholic Church, "Unity," and Christian Science.

The lecturer dwelt at length upon the wonderful relation that exists between mind and body, and showed that an abnormal mind is creative of disease, and that a healthy mind is the harbinger of good health. There were great powers residing in the mind of man, he said, which if exercised would cause many of the ills of life to disappear. Today there was such a thing as divine healing, just as surely as in Christ's day.

Health and Right Living

The speaker cautioned his hearers against the teaching of certain sects who said: "If you had faith you would be healed, and because you are sick you have no faith." This, the lecturer declared, had exercised a distressing effect in the lives of many godly people. Let them beware lest they put the mind of man in the place of the mind of God. Even the great apostle Paul himself suffered from an infirmity. He prayed earnestly for its removal, but it still remained with him, and instead of its removal he received grace from on high to endure to the end. Sickness had a disciplinary place in the life of man. The Christ himself was perfected or fully matured through suffering. Dr. Smith stated his attitude towards Christian Science, and defined what in his opinion were the weak points and inconsistencies of that society. He concluded by an appeal for the churches to take a definite stand in this matter, because many people had left churches on account of a misapprehension of what the churches stood for. If health is the result of a right attitude of the soul to God, that can be enjoyed in any church, and it is not necessary to go to any particular shrine, sect or church for it.

Prolonged applause followed the conclusion of the lecture; and the Rev. W. G. Wilson, M.A., closed with prayer.

LORD CREWE ARGUES FOR CATTLE EMBARGO

LONDON, Feb. 13.—Another argument against removing the embargo on Canadian cattle was advanced by Lord Crewe, a former Colonial Secretary, in a speech at the Bedfordshire Chamber of Agriculture on Saturday.

In agreeing with the decision of Sir Arthur Griffith-Boscawen, the Minister of Agriculture, to retain the embargo, His Lordship said that if imported cattle were allowed to enter the country from Canada it would be necessary to admit cattle from many other parts of the world where there was a great deal more risk of disease.

Besides, he did not want to see a number of inferior cattle dumped on the shores of Great Britain because of unambitious farmers.

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What new struggle is taking place in the body politic of France?

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In the event of a crisis how soon could the French army take the field?
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What is the general direction of French naval aims?
Why does France want more submarines?

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What was the controlling war policy of "The Tiger"?
How has Millerand's ambition been satisfied?
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All Organizations Engaged in Social Service Work Asked to Send Representatives to Meeting in March

There was a meeting Friday of the recently appointed Social Service Committee, which came into being in its latest form as the result of the visit here last week of two Seattle expert workers. Rev. J. L. Batty, who was appointed convener of the provisional committee last week, was Friday appointed chairman, the other officers being as follows: First vice-president, Dr. Miller; second vice-president, Mr. F. W. Jones; secretary, Miss de Wolfe.

Those officers were selected from the original committee of sixteen, practically all of whom were at Friday's meeting: Rev. J. L. Batty, Dr. Miller, Rev. William Stevenson, Mrs. Schofield, Rev. H. T. Archbold, Mr. Ravenhill, Mr. Shampeney, Miss Mary Lawson, Miss Wark, Mrs. G. Goepel, Mrs. J. MacEwen, Alderman Harvey, Miss Crease, Rev. Dr. Cley, Mr. F. W. Jones, Mrs. Hallam, Miss de Wolfe.

The meeting took the form of an informal discussion as to the needs and objects of such an organization as that proposed. Speakers urged that such an association should look at social service in its broadest sense, and recognize the fundamental principles by striking at fundamental causes of social evil. To accomplish the best work they must have a trained social worker brought to the city to give a review of the situation with regard to social service work in all its phases. The meeting was unanimously in favor of this, and will try to get the co-operation of all organizations which make social service work one of their activities, the Chamber of Commerce, the Rotary Club, the Kiwanis Club, the Gyros, etc. Each and all such organizations are asked to send two representatives to meet with the Social Service Committee on or about March 14, when the matter of bringing a trained social service worker to the city will be considered.

Dr. Miller, in outlining the principles of social service work, mentioned three particular remedies to be effected: First, to get men to live better; second, to get the children off the streets; third, to better conditions for delinquents. Looked at from this point of view, social service meant more than merely giving doles in charity to the needy. It meant better and more efficient citizens, and ultimately better social and economic conditions. Making a plea for co-ordination from the various organizations of the city, Dr. Miller said that the Social Service Committee did not intend to interfere in any way with the work of existing organizations, but rather to provide means whereby such organizations could get the best results from their endeavors.

Stranded Men Suffer Hardship

PRINCE RUPERT, Feb. 13.—J. V. Spencer and W. Gladstone, of Kitlatka, have been rescued in the last stages of exhaustion after having spent twelve days on Kinaban Island without food and with scant shelter against the cold weather. The men were cast on the island during a recent storm.

News of Vancouver Island

REPORTS PRESENTED AT INSTITUTE MEETING

Metchosin Farmers Hear of Business Transacted at Convention Held in Victoria — Many Important Resolutions

METCHOSIN, Feb. 13.—The report of the convention held on January 20, at Victoria, as presented by the delegates to the Metchosin Farmers' Institute is given as follows:

The Resolutions Committee was composed of Mr. A. Kohout, Sooke; Mr. T. F. Gold, Keating; Mr. F. R. Ware, Nanaimo-Cedar.

It was suggested that the Vancouver Island Institutes be given at least one month's notice of the date of the annual convention, and then be notified again 14 days before the date is fixed.

Regarding the resolution concerning the sale of eggs by weight, it was resolved that the institute ask that the District "A" Conference recommend to the Legislative Assembly to pass an act making it compulsory that eggs be sold wholesale and retail by weight; but this was finally withdrawn.

It was also resolved that in the opinion of the meeting the Noxious Weeds Act be abolished. This resolution was withdrawn.

The resolution dealing with Chinese produce in the public market, proposed by Mr. Van der Byl, secretary of Metchosin Farmers' Institute; seconded by Mr. Blake, was carried.

Re the Trespass Act, the following amendment was passed: To state clearly how the notice referred to in section six (6) prohibiting trespassing should be given, and to provide that such notice may be given by posting notices at stated intervals in conspicuous places surrounding such land, and by inserting a notice in a paper published in the district. Such notice to have been published at least one month before any prosecution can take place, and to remain in force so long as the notices are posted as required. That any unauthorized persons removing notices be liable to conviction as trespassers. That penalty for a conviction for trespass be increased.

With reference to a district supervisor, it was resolved that in view of the recent vote of the Legislature on estimates for district supervisors of agricultural instruction, under which our local district representative receives his salary, the annual meeting of the Coniox Farmers' Institute requests the Department of Agriculture to assume the whole responsibility of maintaining the agricultural representative at Courtenay.

The meeting was also in favor that a licence fee of not less than $10 on all American cars entering British Columbia.

Regarding the formation of a district association for Vancouver Island, the Metchosin Farmers' Institute favors the formation of such an association, suggesting that the by-laws be so arranged that other organizations with a similar purpose in view to this institute be permitted to join the association for the purpose of consolidating and strengthening the movement, to secure the necessary reforms and improvements to the agricultural industry.

Whereas a report of the recommendations of the joint meeting of the Farmers' Institute and the United Farmers with the Legislative committee has been received, showing that the report of the recommendations to the Legislature through the agricultural committee has received indifferent attention, it was resolved that the members of the Metchosin Farmers' Institute express their most emphatic disapproval and disgust at the absence of any real results achieved through the channels of the said committee of the Legislature, following the recommendations made by the said joint committee, feeling that the Legislature is deliberately ignoring and blocking the pressing needs of the farmers of this Province, as presented by the duly appointed delegates through the proper channels; and this institute further resolves to use its utmost efforts to ensure that the voice of the farmer shall be heard in the future.

The meeting further regrets that the attitude of the Legislature towards agricultural matters shows an inability to recognize the importance of the agricultural industry.

DUNCAN NEWS NOTES

DUNCAN, Feb. 11.—The first evening of the series of the A.O.T. Five Hundred Club was held on Thursday evening in the Quamichan Hotel, when Mrs. C. H. Dickie, Mrs. H. W. Dickie and Mrs. J. Anderson acted as hostesses. Mrs. Peterson carried off high honors for the ladies, and Mr. Pitt for the gentlemen, while Mrs. Serjup took second place for the ladies and Dr. D. E. Kerr for the gentlemen. Mrs. Brockway won the ladies' consolation prize and Mr. A. H. Peterson the gentlemen's consolation.

Last evening there was a fair attendance at the lecture, illustrated with lantern slides, given by Mr. Cecil Tice on "Potato Growing," in the Institute rooms. The chair was occupied by Captain R. E. Barkley, of Westholme.

What promises to be a most interesting entertainment are two sketches which are being put on in the Opera House, Duncan, on Monday evening, the 20th inst., in aid of the Duncan Lawn Tennis Club, when, under the directorship of Miss "Bobbie" Stephen, "The Camel and the Vampire" will be produced. Those taking part in the cast are Mrs. Cowley, Miss Rachel Wilson, Messrs. C. C. Ward, L. A. S. Cole and L. W. Huntington. Mr. J. C. E. Henslowe is director for the second sketch, entitled, "Hud," and the cast will include Mrs. H. C. Martin, Miss Doreen Smiley, Messrs. J. C. E. Henslowe, E. F. L. Henslowe, and L. A. S. Cole.

Mr. W. M. Brewer gave the first of his series of lectures, "Talks to Prospectors," in the Agricultural office here last evening. These lectures are arranged through the Provincial Department of Mines.

SOCIAL EVENT AT GANGES

GANGES, Feb. 11.—The Social Club progressive whist and dance was held on Thursday evening at the Mahon Hall, Ganges, the committee in charge being Messrs. McAfee, W. N. Norton, A. Elliot, K. Butterfield and F. Stacey. These whist drives have been an annual institution for about ten years, indeed, since the commencement of the club, and each year has proved a great success, this year in no way falling short of its predecessors. About 120 guests were present, and 25 tables of players joined in the evening's entertainment. For the occasion the Rev. Geo. and Mrs. Aitkens were host and hostess, and Mr. T. F. Speed acted as M.C.

Soon after 11 p.m., at the end of a programme of 20 games, an excellent supper was served at the tables. This department was in the hands of Mr. A. W. Drake. During the refreshment period the prize winners were announced: Mrs. Johnson, first prize, a box of handkerchiefs; Mr. Reid Bittancourt, first prize, flashlight. The lady's booby, a doll, was won by Miss Aitkens, and the gentleman's booby, a rattle, by Mr. Gavin Mouat. When the hall was cleared dancing started, and continued till 2:30 a.m. The music was supplied by the greatly appreciated new local orchestra, which, although in its initial stage, has the making of a really excellent one. Mr. P. E. Lowther, piano; Mr. Fred Allen, violin, and Mr. A. Elliot, kettledrum, bones, etc.

Some of the guests present were: Mr. C. T. Walter, president of the club; Dr. Sutherland, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Castle, Mrs. Day, Mrs. Halley, Mrs. Inglis, Mr. W. E. Scott, Mr. H. W. Bullock, Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Rogers, Mr. and Mrs. B. Cartwright, Mrs. Gilbert Mouat, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Crofton, Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Seymour, Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Harris, Capt. A. C. Alan Williams, Miss V. Royal, Miss Aitkens, Miss Borradaile, Mr. J. C. Scovell, Mrs. Speed, Mr. N. W. Wilson, Mr. Eric Springford, Mr. Penrose, Mr. Robert Shaw, Mrs. Price, Mrs. Cecil Ley, Mrs. A. Elliot, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Halley, Mr. Walker, Mr. Loynbee.

SALT SPRING NOTES

GANGES, Feb. 11.—At the Gulf Islands Hospital during January five medical, three surgical and one maternity cases were treated, and one girl born. Donations of marmalade and jelly were received from the Ladies' Auxiliary, Pender Island; artichokes, cabbage, etc., from Mrs. Page; eggs from Mrs. Frank Crofton; game from Mr. Lucemore and papers from Mrs. Mallinson, Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Borradaile and Mrs. Beech.

Mr. and Mrs. Leggett, of Cowichan, are visiting the Rev. Geo. and Mrs. Aitken at the Vicarage for a few days.

Mrs. Wm. Evans, of Duncan, left the Island last Saturday after spending a day or two at Ganges, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Rogers.

The Ganges Chapter, I.O.D.E., intends holding a jumble sale on Saturday, Feb. 25, at 2 o'clock, in the Mahon Hall. The committee in whose hands are all arrangements includes Mrs. W. E. Scott, Mrs. Frank Crofton, Mrs. J. Ackerman, Mrs. Gilbert Mouat, Mrs. J. N. Rogers and Miss Cartwright. Tea will be served during the afternoon.

DIED VERY SUDDENLY

GANGES, Feb. 11.—The death occurred very suddenly on Friday evening, February 10th, of Mr. Robert F. Edwards, of Fulford Harbor, a well known old-timer of 26 years' standing, who had during that time ran the store and post office at Fulford. The late Mr. Edwards, who was in his eightieth year, was well and hearty during the evening of the 10th, but at 10 o'clock he failed to answer a question put to him, death occurring immediately from heart failure. The funeral service was held on Sunday at St. Mary's Church, Fulford, the crowd of mourners being too many to get seats, were standing outside the building. Service was taken by the Methodist minister, Rev. Mr. Studelay. The interment took place in the church burial ground.

The late Mr. Edwards leaves to mourn his loss a widow, four daughters and one son. Three of his children arrived on the Island for the funeral, as did also his grandson, Mr. Brenton, from Vancouver.

WHIST DRIVE AND DANCE AT ROYAL OAK

ROYAL OAK, Feb. 13. — The whist drive and dance held by the Royal Oak Women's Institute was a huge success socially. About fifty people showed keen interest in the whist drive, the prizes being very closely contested for, with the following results: Gentlemen, 1st, Mr. Scruton; 2nd, Mr. Wood; consolation, Mr. Wallace Wood; ladies', 1st, Miss Bull; 2nd, Mrs. Reed; consolation, Mrs. Coffey. After the game, delicious refreshments were served by a capable committee of Institute ladies. Dancing commenced at about 10:30 and continued until 1 o'clock. Music was supplied by Mrs. Watkins and Mr. Robinson. Mr. Watkins acted as master of ceremonies for the dancing, and Mr. Raven for the whist drive.

The ladies of Royal Oak wish to thank the members of the Lake Hill Women's Institute for their kindness in lending the tables and chairs necessary for the whist drive.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

BRENTWOOD

Mrs. A. T. Pope was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Redding, of Victoria West, on Friday evening.

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Mr. Bessenheim, who has been employed at Tod Inlet for the past two years, is being transferred to the B.C. Cement Co.'s plant at Bamberton.

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Mrs. Leonhardt and children, who have been visiting relatives here for the past few weeks, left for their home in Vancouver on Thursday afternoon.

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A few of the young people from Sluggetts went in to witness the hockey game played at the Arena on Tuesday evening between local amateurs headed by L. Thomson and a city team under the management of F. Webster. The locals went down to defeat with the score standing at 6-2.

SAANICH

Mr. H. Ellis, of Bamberton, was in the City on Thursday.

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Several Bamberton residents, including Mr. and Mrs. Anderson and daughter, were in the city on Thursday evening to attend the concert given by Dame Clara Butt at the Royal Victoria Theatre.

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Young and old are looking forward to the Valentine party to be held at Saanichton on Feb. 14, which will take the form of a Cinderella Dance. Good prizes are being offered and it is hoped that as many children as can possibly do so, will compete. Invitations are being extended to nearby schools.

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Keating is also planing for a Children's Fancy Dress Party and the date selected for the affair is February 24. Mrs. Farberry and Miss McKenzie, teacher of the Keating School, are making every effort to make the event an outstanding success, as the funds will be devoted towards paying off the debt on the piano.

ALBERNI

Mr. F. G. Weaver, of Humphries & Weaver, has gone to Vancouver on a business trip for a few days.

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Mr. E. B. McDermid, president of the Royal Financial Corporation, Ltd., of Vancouver, was a visitor in town on Tuesday and Wednesday.

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Mr. Morrison, of the Industrial Commission, Victoria, is at present in town in connection with local loans under the Industrial Commission.

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Mr. Charles Gustafson, who has a logging contract at Toquart, has returned from Vancouver, where he had been for a few days on business.

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Coloner Foster, who has made his residence at Sproat Lake for the past two years, where he has a large houseboat, and who is at present in California, is returning to the lake and is contemplating building on his property there.

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Mr. Cornelius Vanderbilt, Jr., who has been engaged at the Washington Conference as a representative of the Chinese press, has written to say that he hopes to return to Sproat Lake early this Summer, and spend both Summer and Winter at his home on Arbutus Island.

LANGFORD

By way of celebrating St. Valentine's Day, a grand fancy dress ball will be held at the Langford Hall, on Tuesday, February 14, at 8:30. Good prizes are being given, and a buffet supper will be served. The music will consist of a 3-piece orchestra.

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The Langford Branch of the Women's Auxiliary held their monthly meeting yesterday afternoon, at the residence of Mrs. R. F. Waddington. Owing to a severe cold, the president, Miss Hockley, was unable to be present; Mrs. Goucher, vice-president, taking the chair in her place. The Rev. H. Pearson attended, and plans for raising future funds were discussed. At the conclusion of the meeting, a delicious tea was served by Miss Waddington.

COLWOOD

The winners of the weekly whist drive, which was held last evening at the Colwood Hall, under the auspices of the Colwood Social Club were as follows: First lady, Miss Dickerson. First gentleman, Mr. H. Benson; while Miss Murray and Mr. W. Packe came in as the "boobies." There was a very good attendance, and the evening was much enjoyed by everybody.

DUNCAN

Mr. W. G. M. Roiston, of Victoria, has been visiting Duncan.

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Mr. Walter Marriot, of Nanoose, has been a visitor in Duncan during the week.

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Mr. and Mrs. Walter Paterson, of Brooksby Farm, Kokstish, plan to take up their residence in Duncan shortly and have taken Mrs. Prevost's house. Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Bayett will then take up their residence at Brooksby Farm.

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The annual Agricultural Ball, which is always an outstanding social function, will be held in the Agricultural Hall here on Tuesday evening next, the 14th inst. This year the committee in charge hopes to pass the previous records. Mrs. W. A. Willett is acting as convener of the supper committee, and working on the committee with her are Mrs. F. H. Price, Mrs. Fry, Mrs. Walter Paterson, Mrs. J. H. Whittome and Mrs. Alex. Matthews, of Westholme.

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DEBATE TAXATION OF MINERAL LAND

Members of Mining Institute Are Divided in Opinion as to Heavy Imposts on Unutilized Crown Grants

VANCOUVER, B.C., Feb. 13.—The proposal that crown-granted mineral areas in British Columbia should be heavily taxed, to force owners to develop them or permit them to revert to the crown, was the principal subject of the opening day's discussion by the British Columbia division of the Canadian Institute of Mining and Metallurgy today. It finally was decided to submit the whole question to a committee, to be appointed by Col. J. E. Leckie, chairman, for consideration and report.

The proposal, which was advanced by F. W. Guernsey, was supported in a paper written by Mr. J. C. Harris and Mr. William Tomlinson, the latter of whom was absent on account of illness, and read by H. Mortimer Lamb. The principal argument for heavy taxation was the contention that mineral areas were held dormant by owners who had received crown grants and did not work them, preventing others from doing so.

S. P. Hill, of Victoria, opposed the suggestion, contending that prospectors who had pioneered under hardships were entitled to the lands they had discovered. The miner in British Columbia, he said, was surrounded with so much taxation that the prospector was discouraged from coming in. Mineral lands should not be made easily accessible to the "camp robber" who sat around the assessor's office waiting to snap up good properties.

Several other speakers followed, for and against the proposal. Dean Brook, of the University of British Columbia, said in support, that the tying up of properties by speculators was the greatest evil of the mining industry. If it had not been for this evil, he contended, there might have been enormous development at Rossland, where big companies wanted to develop the mines years ago and were unable to get into the area held by speculators.

W. H. Brewer, of Nanaimo, spoke in eulogy of the prospector and his work. He thought too much education accounted for the diminution of the number of prospectors to be found in the Province nowadays.

Diamond drilling was the subject of brief addresses by K. S. Robinson and H. R. Van Wagenson, of Copper Mountain.

Major C. McLaurin, superintendent of the Jericho Beach air station, read a paper on the scope of the airplane and the hydro-airplane in prospecting. The paper, which was illustrated with lantern slides, went very fully into the subject, and urged the usefulness of flying machines in reconnaissances over rough and rugged country, more or less inaccessible, where lakes and rivers are available for landing places. Aerial photography also was fully dealt with.

Boys' Work Discussed—Mr. Harold Cross, boys' work secretary of the local Young Men's Christian Association, returned yesterday from Everett, Washington, where he was a fraternal delegate to the state annual convention of the Y.M.C.A. which was held on February 10 and 12. Mr. Cross says that there was much interest displayed by the workers from every section in the problems that confront work for the boys and young men of the state. Speakers of note from all over the state of Washington were heard, and included Mr. A. E. Roberts, of the International Committee, New York, and Mr. Frank W. Pearsall, state secretary, New York.

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BIRTHS, MARRIAGES, DEATHS

BIRTHS

DAVIS—Born to Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Davis, 860 Monterey Avenue, Oak Bay, a son.

MARRIAGES

BONN-JONES—Announcement is made of the marriage of Miss Rosamond Inez Jones, of Lake Hill, to Mr. Frederick Bonn, of Port Hammond, B.C., which took place on Wednesday, February 8, 1922. They will subsequently reside in Port Hammond, B.C.

DEATHS

HICKEY—On Sunday, February 12, at the residence, 285 Michigan Street, Catherine Frances Hickey, beloved wife of Captain P. J. Hickey, born at Boston, Mass., April 19, 1848, and a resident of British Columbia for the past 31 years. She is survived by her sorrowing husband and family; four daughters, Mrs. A. E. Harrison, San Francisco; Mrs. R. G. Bald, Vancouver; Mrs. P. L. O'Connell and Gertrude Victoria, of this city; and by two sons, Richard Joseph, of the steamship Empress of Russia, and John David, of this city, also five grandchildren.

The remains are reposing at the residence, whence the funeral will take place on Wednesday at 9 a.m., the cortege proceeding to St. Andrew's Cathedral, where requiem High Mass will be sung. Interment will be in Ross Bay Cemetery.

WARD—On Sunday, February 12, 1922, at Paso Robles, California, William Currie Ward, of Victoria, B.C., aged 48, formerly of Harbourne House, High Halden, Kent, England.

The funeral will take place on Friday, February 17, leaving 1377 St. David Street at 10.30 a.m. Service at Christ Church Cathedral at 11 a.m.

BIRD—On February 12, at his home, 2085 Chaucer Street, Arthur J. Bird, beloved husband of Mrs. Hilda Bird, aged 41 years, born in London, England, and a resident of this city for the past 24 years. The deceased is survived by, besides his widow, three children, Ruby, Arthur (Benny), Hilda (Lalor) Bird, and one sister, Mrs. Kenneth Dodge, of this city, also one brother and five sisters in England. He was a valued member of F. A. A. U. C. Association, and was highly respected by all who knew him.

The funeral will take place on Wednesday, the 15th inst., the cortege leaving the Sands Funeral Chapel at 2.40 o'clock, and 20 minutes later service will be conducted at St. Mary's Church, Oak Bay, the Rev. H. H. Andrews officiating. Interment will be made at Ross Bay Cemetery.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS 1

BRITANNIA Lodge, 814, L.O.B.A., will hold a Valentine dance, February 14, in Caledonia Hall. Dancing from 9 to 1 o'clock. Hunt's Trio orchestra. Admittance 50c each.

BRIDGE and Five Hundred—St. Joseph's Alumnae Bridge and Five Hundred, in Knights of Columbus Hall, February 16th, at 8.45 p.m. For reservations phone Miss Sehl, 1726R, and Mrs. Osborn, 5041F.

ANNOUNCEMENTS 1 (Continued)

DON'T forget Trainmen's dance (B.R.T.), Alexandra ballroom, February 22. Hunt's 5-piece orchestra; buffet supper; dancing, 8.30 to 1.

DANCE, Royal Oak Hall, Friday, Feb. 17. Parry-Thorne Orchestra. Flyer leaves opposite Dominion Hotel, 6.30.

GAELIC SOCIETY—Military Five Hundred and Dance on Wednesday, Feb. 15th, in the Orange Hall, at 8.30. Good scrip prizes. Members first 7.45 sharp.

MILITARY 500 and concert at Sailors' Club, Esquimalt, Wednesday, February 15, under auspices Women's Progressive Conservative Club. Concert starts 7.30; cards, 8.30. Admission 25c. Good prizes. For further information, Phone 6341.

MILITARY 500 and dance, Orange Hall, Tuesday, 14th, 8.30. Good scrip prizes. 25 cents.

MILITARY 500—Queen Alexandra Review, No. 11, W.B.A., K. of P. Hall, Thursday, February 16, at 8.15. Reserved tables. Admission 25c.

MOOSE whist drive in the K. of P. Hall, Wednesday, February 15. Eight good prizes, chickens, first. Admission 25c; 8.30 sharp. All welcome.

MILITARY 500, Drake Hall, Wednesday, February 15, 8.30 p.m. Good prizes.

ROYAL Antediluvian Order of Buffaloes. All old members wishing to join the above society kindly leave names and addresses at Thomson's Fish Store, 1451 Broad street, Victoria, B.C.

THE public is requested to attend the annual meeting in connection with Ward 7 (Saanich) Cottage Gardeners' Association, in Tillicum School, on Thursday, February 16, at 8 o'clock.

THE usual Thursday night's entertainment at the Sailors' Club, Esquimalt, will take the form of a dance this week. Price 25c.

VALENTINE dance and children's fancy dress ball, Agricultural Hall, Sanichton, Tuesday, February 14; dancing 8.30 till 1. Wade's 8-piece orchestra. Four prizes. Refreshments.

WHIST Drive — The Dramatic Order Knights of Khorassan, whist drive, K. of P. Hall, North Park Street, Monday next, at 8.30 p.m. Admission 25c. Everybody welcome. Good scrip prizes.

WANTED—MALE HELP 2

BEACH Combers—I have something to interest you. Apply Box 5221, Colonist.

CARPENTER to build garage, and take good car as payment. Box 2499, Colonist.

JANITOR and wife for 1st class apartment house, no children. Apply Colonist Box 5543.

MAKE money at home—$15 to $60 paid weekly for your spare time writing showcards for us. No canvassing. We instruct you and supply you with work. Write Angus Showcard Service, 59 Colborne Bldg., Toronto.

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Apply Box 2569, Colonist.

WANTED—Plasterer to estimate on small job. Box 8616, Colonist.

WANTED—Good live youth, must have some store experience, small salary to start, good chance for advancement, state age and experience. Box 8614, Colonist.

WANTED—Boy to cook and be generally useful on farm, by bachelor, good home, $15 per month. Box 4888, Colonist.

WANTED—Boy able to milk, $15 per month. Box 5684 Colonist.

WANTED—Good live agent to represent us on Vancouver Island. Rubnot laundry tablets. Ideal carpet cleaner. The Woodley Manufacturing Co., Ltd., 1206 Hastings St. E., Vancouver.

WANTED—A first-class baker and confectioner. To a painstaking and capable man good wages will be given. English bakery, Victoria.

WANTED—Salesman with accountancy experience to handle well known office appliance on Vancouver Island, on straight commission basis. Apply, giving full particulars, past experience. Box 1171, Colonist.

WANTED—Salesman—A self respecting salesman whose ambition is beyond his present occupation might find more congenial employment with us, and at the same time double his income. We require a man of clean character, sound in mind and body, of strong personality, who would appreciate a life position with a fast growing concern where industry would be rewarded with far above the average earnings. Married man preferred. Apply to E. A. Smith, over Royal Bank Bldg., Government Street, Room 5.

WANTED—FEMALE HELP 3

COOK-GENERAL, family of four, good wages to satisfactory party. Phone 1582.

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STRONG girl or young woman for day work. Apply after 5 p.m., Suite 1, Alisa Mansions.

WANTED (Old Country preferred), reliable, experienced nurse for baby; references, good home and wages. Reply Box 5687, Colonist.

WANTED—Thoroughly reliable nurse for baby eight months, must be experienced and have best of references. Highest wages and good home. Reply, stating age, Box 3626, Colonist.

WANTED—English maid as cook-general; only capable woman with good references need apply; two in family; wages $40 per month. Phone 6378L?

WANTED—Reliable young woman as mother's help; must be experienced in all general housework, and able to wash and iron, but cooking not necessary. Phone 767. Apply Mrs. Enkiv, 672 Island Road, Oak Bay.

WANTED—Bright, cheerful person as housekeeper and assist with invalid, plain cooking, home comforts. Particulars in Box 8525, Colonist.

WANTED—Woman to mind two children, ages 4 and 5, two or three evenings a week; residing in Fairfield district preferred, and must have telephone. Box 3180, Colonist.

WANTED—Woman to take care of two children at night; also washing one or two days a week. Party living in Fairfield district preferred, and must have telephone. Box 8409, Colonist.

SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE 4

AN old English gardener and groundsman would like odd work of any description; can relay tennis courts or gardens, 26 years' experience. J. H. Butterworth, 1158 North Park Street. Phone 4484Y.

BOY wants work on farm; can milk. Phone 1887L.

BOAT builder seeks position as caretaker of boat house, repairing launches or boats, capable of handling any carpentry work. Phone 1338.

CAPABLE, experienced business man, accountant, excellent correspondent, executive ability and resource. P.O. Box 855, Victoria.

FINE Japanese boy or woman wants housework. Phone 2855.

FENCING, land clearing, or single dangerous trees removed. Phone 5791Y.

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POSITIONS wanted on farm with practical farmer by two young man, thoroughly experienced. Will accept small wages. Apply Box 2492, Colonist.

SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE 4 (Continued)

SKILLED man, able to do any repairs in wood or metal allowed by regulations, wants janitor's job. Box 8458 Colonist.

SINGLE handy man will give service for small salary, if home be provided, no objection to location. Box 8628, Colonist.

WOOD carried in; also any odd jobs done. Phone 6464L.

YOUTH wants work of any kind, willing to leave town. Phone 8889R.

SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE 5

A LADY wishes to act as traveling companion to England in return for expenses. Reference exchanged. Box 7784, Colonist.

CAPABLE person wishes position as housekeeper. Box 8546, Colonist.

EDUCATED Englishwoman requires post of light housework, sewing, etc.; sleep out. Please state particulars when answering. Box 2621, Colonist.

HOUSEKEEPER, good cook, good references. Phone Keating 4M, or Box 20, Tod Inlet, B.C. Interview by appointment.

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WANTED—Temporary position for about two months; housework or any position of trust; capable, experienced. Box 5655, Colonist.

WOMAN wants work by the day. Phone 6475L.

WANTED—Care of 1 or 2 children, at own home. Phone 7872L.

WANTED—Position as working housekeeper, by a reliable woman; good plain cook; and good reference. Box 8469, Colonist.

YOUNG lady wishes housework, will live in. Phone Room 516, Dominion Hotel.

EDUCATIONAL 6

ENGINEERS Instructed for examinations. W. G. Winterburn, M.I.N.A., 221 Central Building, Victoria, B.C.

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MUSIC 7

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TO EXCHANGE 8

ADVERTISER has modern bungalow, best residential district, Edmonton, Alta., conservative value $5,000, that he would trade for fruit-poultry farm, with house, acreage preferred. Write Mulvey, 415 Empire Block, Edmonton.

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DRESSMAKING, alterations, sewing of all descriptions, at your or my home. Phone 4141.

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MISCELLANEOUS 10

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McPHERSON & FULLERTON BROS.
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FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS 13

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ARBRETAS, $1; Aquilegias, $1; Campanula Lactiflora, $1; Canterbury Bells, 75c; Currants, $1.75; Delphiniums, $1 and $1.50; Doronicums, $1; Gaillardias, $2 and $3; Gladioli Maximas, $1; America, $1; Halley, 60c; Red Emperor, $1; Helenums, $1 and $1.50; Himalaya Berry, $2; Loganberries, $1 and $1.50; Montbretias, 75c; Narcissus, 25c; Pinks, Old Scotch, White and Mrs. Simkins, $1; Pansies, extra, 50c; Peonies, in 50 sorts, $3.50; Hoops, extra, $1; Roses, on own roots, fine, $4; Roses, dolce, budded, $5; Sweet William, 75c. All the above-priced for 12 plants. Cabbage, in variety, and Kale, thousand-headed, 50c per 100; brussels sprouts in choice variety, $1.50 to $3 per 100. C. W. G. James Simpson, 611 Superior, Victoria. Phone 1994.

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CANADA Pride range, with water jacket, in perfect order, $45 cash, $55 Island Exchange, 745-747 Fort Street.

DIGGINS forks, Old Country make, superior to Canadian. Eastern Stores, 848 Fort Street.

ENGLISH baby buggy in good condition, price $18. Phone 3977L.

ELECTRIC Singer machine, slightly used, at big reduction. 618 Yates.

FOR Sale—Jubilee incubator, 120-egg. Phone 1572L.

FOR Sale—Modern, well kept furniture of four-roomed apartment; apartment for rent March 15th. Colonist Box 3616.

FOR Sale—Nearly new Lenoxa Ideal range, also some furniture in good condition. Apply 2467 Forbes Street.

FOR Sale—Brunswick cabinet gramophone and records, also singer sewing machine. Apply Room 74, Vernon Hotel.

FUMED oak wardrobe with two drawers, in A1 condition, $11.50. Oddy's, 1817 Douglas Street.

FOR Sale Cheap—Silver-plated corset maker. J. W. York & Son. Phone 7291.

FOR Sale—Bicycle corset and cane, $35; ships' lamps, $1.40 pair; auto and carriage lamps, $1.75; inset tenis, $12.50; real leather club bags, $9.75; real leather suitcases, $12.50; long leather straps 35c; Chevalier field glasses, $12.50; sample suitcases, 65c; Waltham watches, $7.50; twin diamond rings, $17.50; pearl sunburst brooch, $14.75; French pearl necklace, $12.50; purpose hide shoe laces, 10c; leather gloves, 65c; playing cards, 25c; bicycle outer tires, new, $1.75; inner tubes, 75c; bicycle pedals, new, $1.75 pair; large brass bicycle pumps, 75c; boy's bicycle, with new tires and goal's bicycle, the two, $21.75. Jacob Aaronson's New & Second-Hand Store, 581 Johnson Street. Phone 736.

FAWCETT coal heater, with brick lining, in first class order. Only $11. Island Exchange, 745-747 Fort Street.

FOR Sale—Cuthbert raspberry canes, $2 per hundred. 5376 Douglas Street. Phone 7569L2.

FOR Sale—Monarch malleable range, and other furniture. Phone 1364L.

FOR Sale, Cheap—Square piano, good condition; good make. Box 2616, Colonist.

FOR Sale, cheap—Fumed oak buffet, almost new. Phone 5748X.

FUMED oak Morris chair, solid leather cushions, only $19.50. Island Exchange, 745-747 Fort Street.

FOR Sale—Men's good overcoats, $5.50, all sizes; odd pants or coats, $1 up; ladies' coats and frocks cheap; at the Island Second-Hand Clothing Store, 564 Douglas, corner Hillside. Phone 696.

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FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS 13 (Continued)

INCUBATOR, large size, new, Daniels' model incubator, $35. Suan 601 Ardersier Road. 5 minutes Cloverdale car.

MANURE for sale, plowing done. Phone Noode, 4746X1.

MRS. JOWITT, 521 Fort St. (late Hillside)—High-class ladies', gents' and children's secondhand clothing bought and sold. Call anywhere, any time. Phone 2134.

MIMEOGRAPH machines (Edison-Dick) and supplies. Exclusive Victoria agents at 54 Winch Bldg. Phone 1918.

MANURE for sale, and plowing done. Phone 5766.

MALLEABLE steel ranges, $2 per week. Phone 4859. 1616 Douglas Street.

MAPLE walnut dresser, oval mirror, $85; Chesterfield, $27.50; library table, $10; Morris smoker, $17.50; other furniture. Phone 6815Y.

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NEW SUITS, NEW COATS, NEW DRESSES, NEW SKIRTS.
At the Lowest Prices.
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ROOM AND BOARD WANTED 16

A LADY would like to meet another lady who wishes to receive a paying guest; references exchanged. Reply, stating full particulars, to Colonist Box 3588.

FURNISHED ROOMS TO RENT 18

BEDROOM for rent, suitable for business lady. Phone 4938L.

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AUTOMOBILES 28 (Continued)

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LOST AND FOUND 33

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HOUSES FOR SALE 39 (Continued)

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OAK BAY—A modern residence of 5 well-arranged rooms, with quiet surroundings, and commanding an uninterrupted view of the sea and surrounding country, with over 1 acre of grounds. Exterior of house is of rough-cast. Concrete basement, hot air furnace. Ground floor contains a large reception hall, with open fireplace, large dining-room, with splendid built-in buffet, panelled walls and beamed ceilings, fine view from windows (which are of plate glass); French doors leading to veranda; sitting-room, with open fireplace; den, and 4 good bedrooms and sleeping veranda. Chinaman's room in basement. High position and good district. Few minutes' walk from carline. The price of this house has been considerably reduced, and fuller details can be obtained upon application at this office.

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The home was built for comfort and convenience. See photo at the office. Price only $6,600; terms.

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640 Fort Street

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ACREAGE WANTED 43

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ACREAGE FOR SALE 43

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PEMBERTON & SON
Pemberton Bldg. Phone 2730

SOUTH SAANICH—1 acre of first-class soil, all cleared and planted in tree and small fruits. A new, modern bungalow of 4 rooms, with city water, electric light, telephone, close to school and Electric Railway station. Garage and poultry houses. This is one of the most complete suburban homes in the district. Price $6,000, or will trade for home in the city.

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PEMBERTON & SON
Real Estate, Financial and Insurance Agents
Fort Street Victoria, B.C.

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5 1-3 ACRES of choice waterfront, semi-cleared, and fronting on fine beach, with easy access. Property has nice gentle slope to water, and soil is very well adapted for small fruits or strawberries. This is the cheapest piece of waterfrontage we know of in this district, and is a snap at the price. $700 per acre.

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BARGAIN ACREAGE PUTS YOU ON THE ROAD TO INDEPENDENCE
The undermentioned ARE bargains, and good terms are offered on any of them—and note the 4-room cottage snap.

$2000 FIVE ACRES — BUYS 5 acres on Glanford Ave., just about on the 3½-mile circle. Land is all excellent, and is under cultivation. This is the cheapest buy on the market today, and a quarter cash will handle it.

$1050 4-ROOM COTTAGE — BUYS a 4-room cottage at Glen Station, on the B.C.E. Railway, and lot 5x132ft. Good well of water and outhouses. Property all fenced. $250 cash will make first payment. Why pay rent? See us about this right away.

$2500 140 ACRES — BUYS 146 acres at Beaver Point, on Salt Spring Island. Several acres under cultivation. Good log house, poultry houses, barn, etc. Approximately 50 acres of excellent bottom land, also some good timber. Main road from Beaver Point to Fulford Harbor runs through. Excellent water supply to buildings by gravity. Taxes only $29 per annum.

B.C. LAND & INVESTMENT AGY., LTD.
922 Government St. Phone 125

PROPERTY FOR SALE 44

MOSS STREET (on heights), near Dallas Rd., a beautiful lot, a bargain, $500.

FERNWOOD ROAD, on the hill top, a fine level lot, unsurpassed view from amidst beautiful oaks. Owner paid $2,000, offered today for $495.

BARGAINS in Gorge—Harriet Road-Burnside-Tillicum Road district—Owners of lots said: Quote these at $150, but send along offers.
THE VICTORIA REALTY COMPANY
204 Central Building Phone 2036

LEEMING BROS. LIMITED
1124 BROAD PHONE 748
REAL SNAPS
$85—GARDEN CITY—¼ acre lot; good elevation, close to station.
$500—OAK BAY—Good lot on Beretona Avenue.
$400—OAK BAY—Fine lot on Fort St., opposite the Arena. Low taxes.
$385—WILKINSON ROAD—⅓ acre, close to station.

TWO high building lots, mile circle, sewer, water, wires, $280 each, one or both. Box 6208, Colonist.

PROPERTY WANTED 45

GOOD building lot, high part of Fairfield. Send full particulars to No. 4, Brown Block, City.

FARMS WANTED 46

WANTED to rent, with option to buy, by experienced married man, a fruit or mixing farm, on Vancouver Island. Going concern preferred. Will pay monthly rent. 1718 Rubens St., Vancouver.

WANTED—Ten to twenty acres fruit-poultry farm, with house, seashore preferred, that $2,500 to $3,000 will buy. Write Mulvey, 418 Empire Block, Edmonton.

FARMS FOR SALE 47

EDMONTON—Have you a half-section or an improved quarter-section, this district? Client of ours will exchange good Victoria home and pay difference in cash. Steel Realty Development Corpn., Ltd., 644 Fort Street.

MONEY TO LOAN 52

AGREEMENTS of sale, mortgages, etc., bought for cash. Apply A. D. Ford, 307 Pemberton Building. Phone 1806 or 3020L.

MONEY to loan. Findlay, Durham & Brodie, Union Bank Bldg.

MONEY to loan on first mortgage covering improved property; also money to discount mortgages and agreements for sale. Dunlop & Foot, Barristers and Attorneys, 817-18 Sayward Bldg., Victoria.

PERSONAL 54

GOOD home offered girl attending High School for small charge and company evenings. Apply Box 2284, Colonist.

INFORMATION urgently requested as to the address of E. F. Nicholls, late of cor. Chambers and Princess, Victoria. Reply A. E. Pye, 627 McMillan Ave., Winnipeg, Man.

AGENTS WANTED 59

SALESMEN—A few attractive openings are available for our thirty-seventh sales year just starting. We manufacture and control exclusively a complete line of copyrighted art calendars, commercial calendars, monthly advertising service, and a wide range of quick selling specialties in celluloid, leather and paper. The extensive scope of our three lines assures steady and substantial sales volume throughout the year for high-grade, experienced salesmen. Liberal commissions. Weekly remittances and intensive co-operation. We are recognized as pioneers and leaders in specialty advertising—the fastest growing branch of the advertising field. Look up our standing in Dun or Bradstreet, and write or wire us, giving age, experience and references, preferably recent employers. The American Art Works, Coshocton, Ohio.

TIMBER BROKERS 60

LARGE and small tracts of timber, accessible to rail and water, for sale. Wise & Co., 109 Pemberton Bldg.

TRACTS of four to six million feet of Crown granted timber for sale; also ties, mine props, etc.; on East Coast of Vancouver Island, on railway, close to tidewater. Franco-Canadian Company, Ltd., 110 Belmont House, Victoria, B.C.

NAAS RIVER LANDS, LIMITED
NOTICE is hereby given that the abovenamed Company intends, at the expiration of one month from the first publication of this notice, to apply to the Registrar of Joint-Stock Companies for his approval to the change of its name to "Duswell Mines, Limited" (Non-Personal Liability).
Dated at Victoria, B.C., the 6th day of February, 1922.
ROBERT M. STEWART,
Secretary for the Company.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS
In the matter of the Estate of Richard Wilson Douglas, deceased:
All persons having any claims or demands against Richard Wilson Douglas, late of Arcade Building, in the City of Victoria, and 1818 14th Avenue West, in the City of Vancouver, B.C., who died on the 31st day of October last, are required to file with the undersigned, executor of the Estate of Richard Wilson Douglas, deceased, full particulars of their claims and the nature of them.
And notice is hereby given that after the 28th day of February, 1922, the said Executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which notice shall then have been received.
Dated at Vancouver, B.C., this 15th day of January, 1922.
THE TORONTO GENERAL TRUSTS CORPORATION, EXECUTOR
590 Pender Street West Vancouver, B.C.

ESQUIMALT AND NANAIMO RAILWAY COMPANY.
NOTICE.
The Esquimalt and Nanaimo Railway Company will apply to the Parliament of Canada at its next Session for an Act extending the time for commencement and completion of the line of railway which it was authorized to construct by Statutes of Canada, 1920 (Chapter 77, namely:
From a point at or near its present terminus at Courtenay, thence in a generally northerly and north-easterly direction to a point at or near Duncan's Bay on the East coast of Vancouver Island.
Dated at Vancouver this seventh day of January, 1922.
A. F. ARMSTRONG
Secretary.

CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF VICTORIA, B. C.
Tenders for the Disposal of the E. & N. Railway Swing Bridge
Tenders addressed to the City Clerk, for the purchase of an existing Railway Swing Span will be received up to noon, March 8, 1922. Plan and specifications can now be obtained from the City Engineer.
The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.
E. S. MICHELL,
Purchasing Agent
City Hall, Victoria, B.C., January 24, 1922.

The Returned Professional and Business Men's Association, of Victoria, B.C.
Respectfully solicit the patronage of local residents in the lines of business hereunder mentioned:
ARCHITECTS
D. H. BARRY, M.R.A. (Eng.), 426 Sayward Bldg. Phone 6916.
P. L. JAMES, 261 Sayward Building. Phone 6915.
RALPH BERRILL, A.M.I.B.A., 4 Brown Block. Phone 6642.
AUTOMOBILE REPAIRS
THE MECHANICAL MOTOR WORKS, 1856 Oak Bay Avenue. Phone 4944.
AWNING MAKER
GEO. RIGBY, 1821 Douglas Street. Phone 6448.
AUTO PAINTER
VETERANS' AUTO PAINTING WORKS, Pandora and Blanshard. Phone 1218.
BUILDERS' SUPPLIES
JOHNSON BROS., 2744 Avebury Street. Phone 4726.
BUTCHER
S. G. F. MEADES, Thoburn Grocery Block, Esquimalt Road.
CANDIES
E. J. LAWRENCE, Handy Candy Store, 1612 Blanshard Street, 1 minute from Royal Victoria Theatre. Phone 9411L.
CARPENTER AND BUILDER
EVANS & GREEN, 611 Fort Street. Phone 4848.
CLOTHIERS
FITZIE BROTHERS, 609 Government Street. Phone 1193.
A. H. C. JONES, with F. Sprinkling, corner View and Broad. Phone 4100.
CONCRETE SPECIALISTS AND CONCRETE PRODUCTS
HENSON & CO., 406 Gorge Road. Phones 3547 and 718X.
DENTIST
H. CLARKE, 413 Central Building. Phone 1946.
ELECTRICIANS
FOX & MAINWARING, Pemberton Building. Phone 6611.
FINANCIAL AGENT
H. E. HUNNINGS, 219 Central Building. Phone 4424.
HOTEL KEEPERS
NICHOLSON & WILLIS, Sooke Harbor Hotel.
INSURANCE
W. J. BRICK, 867 B.C. Permanent Loan Building. Phone 1970.
LAWYERS
Names of five Legal Firms may be obtained from the President. Phone 2872.
LAND SURVEYOR
F. H. ALLWOOD, B.C.L.S., 425 Sayward Building. Phone 6946.
ORCHESTRA AND BAND
A. RUMSEY, 5th Regiment Band, 881 Niagara Street.
PAINTING AND DECORATING
T. H. RENDELL, 1626 Bay Street. Phone 4576X.
PLUMBERS
VETERANS' PLUMBING COMPANY, Fort and Langley. Phone 6611.
R. J. COSTELLO, Lake Hill P.O. Phone 5970X.
REAL ESTATE AND INSURANCE
W. S. BROWN, 733 B.C. Permanent Loan Building. Phone 2716L.
J. H. GILLESPIE, 711 Fort Street. Phone 3649.
T. B. MONK & CO., 604 B.C. Permanent Loan Building. Phones 2761.
G. O. MORRIS, 1606 Broad Street. Phones 4800 and 5601.
WENDELL B. SHAW, 262 Pemberton Building. Phone 2972.
TRANSFER AND TRUCKING
GENERAL SERVICE TRANSPORT, LTD., 1307 Langley. Phone 89.
JOHNSON BROS., 2744 Avebury Street. Phone 4726.
TOBACCONIST
J. DIROM, Horse Shoe Cigar Stand, 1323 Government Street. Phone 7746.

TENDERS
Tenders will be received up to 12 noon on the 11th day of February, 1922, at No. 1208 Wharf Street, Victoria, B.C., for the purchase of the wagons and horses and office furniture situate on the said premises, and belonging to the late Joseph Heaney, and the goodwill of the business of the late Joseph Heaney, other than the right to use the name of Joseph Heaney. The said goods and chattels are subject to the payment of two mortgages amounting to $7,000, and accumulated interest. The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.
Dated the 1st day of February, 1922.
SARAH ELEANOR HEANEY,
Executrix of the Estate of Joseph Heaney.

Tenders will be received up to the 15th February for the removal of a large barn at Gonzales, Rockland Avenue. Full particulars can be obtained from Mr. A. E. Hart, on the premises.
PEMBERTON & SON.

TENDERS

In order to close out the Estate of the Late Hon. William Templeman, Tenders will be received by the undersigned up to the 18th day of February, 1922, for the large and commodious dwelling together with four lots, situated on the southeast corner of Simcoe and St. Andrews Streets, Beacon Hill Park. The location is ideal for an Apartment House and the present building well adapted for a Boarding House, Private School or Nursing Home. Further particulars and an order for inspection can be obtained at Messrs. J. Kingham and Company's, Limited, Office, 1004 Broad Street. The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.
JOSHUA KINGHAM,
A. B. FRASER,
Trustees.

TENDERS for Miscellaneous Supplies to Ships and Establishments of the Department of the Naval Service of Canada and other Canadian Government Departments as well as to Ships of the Imperial Government at their option.
Sealed tenders, addressed to the undersigned, will be received up to Noon on the 28th February, 1922, for supplies of the undermentioned items.
For period of three months—from April 1 to June 30, 1922:

A.—Fresh Meats	At Esquimalt
B.—Frozen Meats	do.
C.—Fresh Fish	do.
D.—Frozen Fish	do.
E.—Fresh Milk	do.
F.—Fresh Vegetables	do.
G.—Bacon and Lard	do.
H.—Bread	do.
I.—Butter	do.
J.—Miscellaneous Provisions	do.
K.—Eggs	do.
L.—Ice	do.

For the Fiscal Year, commencing April 1, 1922:
M.—Uniforms; Naval and Fisheries Protection Service.
N.—Washing of Bedding, Clothing, etc.
O.—Cartage in Dockyard.
P.—General Hauling.
Q.—Coal for Naval Establishments, Esquimalt.
R.—Coal for Ships at Ladysmith.
S.—Coal for Ships at Union.
T.—Interments in Naval Cemetery.
U.—Maintenance of Time Clocks at Dockyard.
Forms of tender and all information may be obtained by applying to the undersigned. Applicants for forms are requested to state definitely the item, or items, on which they wish to tender.
The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.
(Signed) GUSTIN AISH,
Naval Store Officer,
H.M.C. Dockyard, Esquimalt, B.C.
February 13, 1922.
(Unauthorized publication of this advertisement will not be paid for.)

Pledger & Co.
THE HOME OF SIMMONS BEDS
1600 Douglas St. Phone 1978

CLEARANCE SALE
Beds, Springs, Mattresses, Beautiful Bedroom Suites, Dining-Room Furniture, Den Furniture, Dressers, Chiffoniers, Tables, Cots and Rugs. Everything reduced to cost price.

MAYNARD & SONS
AUCTIONEERS
Instructed by the owners, we will sell at our salesroom
727-733 Pandora Avenue
On
Wednesday, 1:30
Desirable Furniture and Furnishings
of several very good homes and including: Good Den, Drawing-room, Dining-room and Bedroom Furniture, in Oak, Mahogany and White Enamel; also several good Ranges, almost new .303 Savage Hammerless Rifle. Further particulars will appear later.
MAYNARD & SONS,
Auctioneers. Phone 837.

THE LARGE SALE
of McKay's Fine Dairy Herd is on
Wednesday Next, Feb. 15
2 P.M.
Fifty-One Head of Very Choice Cows and Heifers
Many Fresh and Registered Holsteins, a Great Producing Herd.
This Herd is being sold owing to expiration of lease only. Also for sale, Beaty Stanchions, Milk Cans, Milk Cooler Vat, etc. Lists are published and mailed. Have you got yours? If not, apply owner or the Auctioneer.
ARTHUR HEMINGWAY
Phone 2484. 646 Fisgard Street.
P.S.—McKay's Ranch is just east of Keating Cross Road, where it joins East Saanich Road.

CITY MARKET AUCTION
Today, 2 P.M.
Grade Jersey Cow, Six Pigs, Poultry, all kinds, and other entries received up to noon.
A. HEMINGWAY,
Phone 2484 Auctioneer
Sale No. 1782.

MESSRS. STEWART WILLIAMS & CO.
Duly instructed, will sell by public auction at 1321 Government Street, between Yates and Johnson Streets,
Tomorrow, Feb. 15
at 1:30, a quantity of
Household Furniture Plated Goods, Glassware, Etc.
Including: Columbia Grafonola, Queen Anne pattern (cost $445), Bamboo Dresser, with bevelled mirror; Bamboo Wardrobe, Typewriting Table, Mission Oak Buffet, Inlaid Afternoon Tea Table, Dinner Wagon, Fumed Oak Extension Table, set of Diners to match, Dunkley Pneumatic Vacuum Cleaner, Chairs, Occasional Tables, Curtains, Solid Silver Tea Set, Fish Knives and Forks, Dessert Knives and Forks, E. P. Goods, a quantity of Cut Glass, several pieces of Old English Jewelry, White Enamel Bedsteads, Springs and Top Mattresses, Martini-Henry Rifle, Toilet and Tank complete, Fumed Oak Chiffonier, White Enamel Chiffonier and Washstand, Extension Table, Upholstered Wicker Chairs, "Albion" Stove, Kitchen Tables and Chairs, Mahogany Dinner Wagon, Divan Chair, Walnut Centre Table, 2 Box Ottomans, Alarm Clocks, Scales, Carpet Sweeper, Wringer, a quantity of Home-made Jams, and other goods too numerous to mention.
On View This Afternoon from Two o'Clock.
For further particulars apply to
The Auctioneer
STEWART WILLIAMS
410 and 411 Sayward Building
Phone 1324
V. 3042

Auction Today
At 2231 Windsor Road, Oak Bay.
Household Furniture
At 1:30 p.m. as previously advertised.
McCLOY & CO.
Auctioneers 1216 Broad St.
V. 2012

AUCTION
At 1635 Pembroke Street, on
Thursday, Feb. 16
at 1:30 p.m.
High-Grade Furniture
Duly instructed by J. Knox, Esq.
McCloy & Co.
Will sell the contents of above home, including expensive set Quartered Oak Dining Chairs in No. 1 leather, Extension Table to match, Axminster Carpet, New Parlor Heater (cost $55), Dinner and Tea China, Silverware, Engraved Decanter and Fine Glasses, Good Lace Curtains, Edison Gramophone and 80 Records, pair heavy Portieres, Ottoman Couch in tapestry, Centre Table, good Grass Chairs, Oak Occasional Chairs and Jardiniere Stands, Pictures, Brussels Square, good Brass Mounted Beds complete, Massive Mahogany and other Dressers, Gentleman's Dressing Chest, Congoleum Square, heavy Brown Battleship Linoleum, fine "Buck's Novelty" Steel Range, Sewing Machine, 2 Kitchen Tables and Chairs, large lot Cooking Utensils, Wringer, Tubs, Garden Tools, Barrow, etc.; also Gent's "Perfect" Bicycle (cost $72.50 last Summer).
On view Wednesday afternoon.
McCLOY & CO.
Auctioneers 1216 Broad St.

LUMBER RATE IS NOT RULED OUT

Board of Railway Commissioners Rejects Applications Regarding Long-Standing Controversy Over Arbitrary

The Board of Railway Commissioners has declined to uphold the contention of Vancouver Island lumber and business interests regarding the arbitrary rate on lumber shipped from the Island for trans-shipment on transcontinental railroads. According to the finding of Chief Commissioner F. B. Carvell, which was made known at yesterday's meeting of the directors of the Chamber of Commerce, the lumber companies must continue to pay the arbitrary rate, in spite of the special concessions given to the sawmills at Port Townsend, Port Angeles and other places in direct competition with Island producers.

The applications were submitted to the Board by Mr. G. G. McGeer, K.C., counsel for the Associated Boards of Trade and the Victoria branch of the British Columbia Lumber & Shingle Manufacturers' Association.

The judgment follows:

"The real subject matter of the complaint is one that has been discussed a number of times by the Board, and consists of an application that mainland coast rates on lumber in carload lots be extended to cover Vancouver Island points, and Mr. McGeer went so far as to ask that it extend to necessary railway traffic on Vancouver Island for the purpose of bringing lumber to shipping points.

"Mr. McGeer based his complaint largely upon the ground that the present arbitrary of two cents per 100 pounds is a discrimination against Vancouver Island shippers, because from Port Townsend and Port Angeles in the state of Washington lumber takes the Seattle rate, which would be the same as the Vancouver rate, and contended that, as Vancouver Island lumber had to compete in United States markets with lumber from these two points in the state of Washington, it constituted discrimination.

Business Necessity

"While there must be, as a business necessity, much similarity between American and Canadian rates, especially for transcontinental business, yet we are in no way bound to follow any rate established in the United States, and I feel certain they would take the same attitude regarding rates established in Canada. Even in this case, however, it was pointed out by Mr. W. B. Lanigan, of the C.P.R., that the special rates referred to by Mr. McGeer were the result of competitive conditions, and on the same line of railway west of Port Angeles, where the competition ceased to exist, the rate was increased by more than the arbitrary complained of by applicants from Vancouver Island to Vancouver.

"The real question, then, is whether or not the railway companies should be compelled to include the whole of the British Columbia coast and Vancouver Island, in one group for rate-making purposes. The railway companies offered, and were quite willing, that all commodity rates on lumber be abolished and the business carried on a class rate basis. This, of course, was not accepted, and probably could not be accepted, as it would practically prohibit the transportation of lumber to Eastern points by rail. Therefore, there must be a continuation of the commodity basis, and the Board must decide whether the railways are justified in considering this particular traffic as one zone, or two zones as at present.

Sees No Discrimination

"In my opinion, this is a matter very largely for the railway companies, always subject to necessary control by this Board, as to whether the rates are just and reasonable and as to whether or not discrimination is practised against any particular community. As stated above, I see no discrimination in existing rates, and, if the railway companies decide there should be two zones on the Pacific Coast, then the straits between the Mainland and Vancouver Island would be the natural dividing point.

"This leaves but one question to be considered, i.e.: whether or not 2 cents per 100 pounds or $12 to $15 a car is a reasonable rate for transporting lumber by barge from Vancouver Island to the Mainland. In my judgment, it is. In fact, I think it would be unreasonable to ask a railway company to transport lumber seventy-five to one hundred miles by barge, with all the incidental costs and risks, for a smaller amount than that above quoted, and for these reasons, both applications are dismissed."

SAANICH PAYS FOR FIRST OF PIPING

Received Part of Order From Yarrow's, Ltd., and From Old Country, and Orders Bills Paid

Some of the pipe for the Gordon Head water extension is already on the ground, the 1922 Saanich Council was informed at its first meeting yesterday afternoon at Royal Oak. The councillors ordered the payment of the first bills for the material, some of which is being made at the Yarrow plant, Esquimalt, and the remainder is being secured from the Old Country. The bills paid were for the following amounts: One hundred and eight 12-inch pipes, made by Yarrow's, Limited, $3,557; 109 6-inch pipes imported from the United Kingdom, $1,805.

The question of commencing the water extension work was considered, and it was decided that the weather would not permit of the doing of trench work at this time. To relieve unemployment the City Council agreed to pay another $1,000 out of general revenue for further work on Wilkinson Road, for which $1,000 of ward funds and $1,000 out of general revenue has already been voted.

A deputation of unemployed will wait on the Council at its meeting on Wednesday night, at 8 o'clock, and will be allowed half an hour in which to present its case.

The committees for the year were announced by Reeve Watson. They are as follows:

Works Committee — The whole Council, with Councillor McWilliam chairman.

Finance Committee — Councillor Brooks, chairman; Councillor Pim and Councillor Horner.

Water and Sewers Committee—Whole of Council, with Councillor Dooley as chairman.

Intermunicipal Committee — Councillor Macnicol, Councillor McWilliam and Councillor Dooley.

Beaches and Parks Agreement

The beaches and parks agreement in force in the past was again ratified, and the Saanich members of the Victoria and Saanich Beaches and Parks Committee appointed as follows: Reeve Watson, and Councillors Brooks, Vantreight and Pim.

A letter from Mayor Marchant, of Victoria, asking the Saanich Council to consider the question of daylight saving was read, and the Council went on record against daylight saving with only Councillor Macnicol dissenting. Reeve Watson stated that if the city decided to put it into effect Saanich would have to fall in line anyway, but Councillor Brooks thought that the Council should show its disapproval at any rate.

A letter from the Central Ratepayers' Association, asking the Council not to appoint its representative on the Board of Management of the Saanich Branch of the Victoria Order of Nurses until it had heard further from the association, was laid on the table. Councillor Dooley was anxious to go right ahead in spite of the central organization, which he stated as undemocratic.

As a result of discussion of desired electric light extensions, a committee, consisting of Councillors McWilliam, Pim and Dooley was appointed to go into the whole question of Saanich lighting.

B.C. Electric Application

A notification of a meeting called by the Union of B.C. Municipalities for Wednesday morning, in Vancouver, to deal with the question of the move of the B.C. Electric Railway Company to procure a Dominion charter, was received, and the Council decided to inform the Union of its moral support to any move to block the company in this regard, but to state that it could not see its way clear to send delegates to the meeting as requested.

Mr. H. M. Cowper was awarded the hauling contract for the pipe to be used in the Gordon Head water extension.

A draft of the proposed cemetery agreement between Victoria and Saanich was given to the councillors to consider at their leisure. The ratepayers through a recent referendum assented to Saanich entering into a cemetery scheme with the city.

Reeve Watson pointed out that the Provincial Government was supposed by now to have collected the meter taxes for the year, and at his suggestion the Council decided to ask for Saanich's share.

The question of what could be done to get Saanich's taxes paid in earlier was discussed, but no action taken.

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FOR Sick and Nervous Headaches
NEURALGIA and RHEUMATIC PAINS
NO OPIATES or INJURIOUS DRUGS
Just what your physician might prescribe in capsule form.
At all druggists
35c PER BOX
Vancouver Drug Co., Ltd., Special Agents

The Corporation of the Township of Esquimalt
Applications are invited for the position of Municipal Solicitor. Applications must be addressed to the undersigned and delivered not later than 5 p.m. on Monday, the 20th instant. Preference will be given to a resident of the Municipality.
G. H. PULLEN,
C. M. C.
Municipal Office,
Esquimalt, B.C.
Feb. 14, 1922.

Forced to Vacate
PROPERTY SOLD
No reasonable offer refused for any article, part or the whole, of the stock of
New and Second-Hand Furniture

VETERANS' SECRETARY DISCUSSES PROBLEMS

Mr. C. G. MacNeil Says Problem of Unemployment Could Be Settled With Goodwill and Co-operation

That unemployment could be settled overnight by real goodwill and genuine co-operation on the part of everybody was the assertion made by Mr. C. G. MacNeil, Dominion Secretary of the Great War Veterans' Association, and vice-chairman of the Unemployment Service Council of Canada, at the public meeting which was held in the Princess Theatre last night under the chairmanship of Mr. J. Food, president of the Victoria branch of the G.W.V.A. The following ladies and gentlemen supported the speakers on the platform: Capt. Ian MacKenzie, Dominion Representative for B.C. of the G.W.V.A.; Comrade W. Drinnan, Provincial Secretary G.W.V.A.; Past Presidents, W. G. Stone, Mr. J. B. Clearihue, M.P.P.; Canon Hinchliffe, M.P.P.; Col. F. A. Robertson, D.S.C.; Col. Ross Napier, Major G. G. Alkins; Mrs. Taylor, Mrs. Hines and Mrs. Bryson, of the Ladies' Executive of the G.W.V.A., and representatives of all branches of the G.W.V.A. on Vancouver Island.

Capt. Ian MacKenzie, of Vancouver, introduced the speaker in a short speech, in which he expressed pleasure at being in Victoria, and referred to a report in the evening paper which stated that the steamers of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company were tied up in China because of a strike of their Oriental crews for more pay. He declared that it is high time that steps should be taken to insure that white crews be placed on these steamers and thus help to find employment for some of those who are out of work in this country.

Mr. MacNeil Speaks

On rising to speak, Mr. MacNeil said that it is always pleasant to visit Victoria, not only because of its climate, but also because of the warmth of the reception invariably given to visitors to this city. He said that he had had three experiences during the day which had shown him the importance of his subject, and determined the trend of the discussion he would continue at the meeting. He had been to the tubercular ward at the Jubilee Hospital, and had seen some of the soldier dependents, as well as the unemployed veterans of the city, and been convinced by what he had heard and seen that much remains to be done and that the problems confronting them could not be forgotten.

It is the policy of the Great War Veterans' Association, said Mr. MacNeil, to seek the advancement of all returned soldiers, regardless of membership in any organization. The G.W.V.A. is something bigger than a mere organization, it is a spirit of comradship springing out of the struggles of the Great War. What is the most practical value of the organization is its utility. Its functions are largely fourfold, to voice the demands of ex-service men, to present their desires on questions affecting them to the Government, to aid in soldier settlement, and the adjustment of claims.

DATE IS SET FOR CITY BY-ELECTION

Nomination Day Will Be February 27—Ex-Ald. Sangster Will Probably Stand—Ald. Lineham Commended

A by-election to fill the vacancy created by the resignation of Alderman Arthur Lineham was assured last night when the City Council formally accepted the alderman's resignation with regret, and named Monday, February 27, as nomination day, and Friday, March 3, as election day.

The Council passed the following resolution respecting Aldermen Lineham's letter of resignation:

"That the communication be received and the resignation accepted with regret, and that we place on record our deep appreciation of Ald. Lincham's courage and convictions in bringing before this body his scheme to relieve the taxpayers of this city in working out some plan for the benefit of all concerned. May a speedy recovery from his serious illness be soon an accomplished fact."

SIR HORACE PLUNKETT FAVORS FREE STATE

At New York Gathering Says It Should Receive Support of All Irishmen

NEW YORK, Feb. 13.—Sir Horace Plunkett told a gathering here today that he believed the Irish Free State should receive the support of all Irishmen.

"In view of the splendid beginning of the world peace movement of Mr. Hughes, which was so ably seconded by Mr. Balfour," he said, "it would not matter whether it was called the Irish Free State or the Irish Republic."

There was applause when Sir Horace said he regarded the possibility of naval invasion of Great Britain from Ireland as extremely remote, but he did not blame the British people for safeguarding themselves against the possibility. He pleaded for Irish unity, and said he hoped there would "be some orange" in the Irish flag of the future.

Lady Douglas Chapter

The annual meeting of the Lady Douglas Chapter, I.O.D.E., will be held at the headquarters, Jones Building, Tuesday afternoon at 2:30. Yearly reports will be given, and officers elected. Members are requested to note the earlier hour of meeting.

DANGER OF JUST LETTING A COLD RUN ITS COURSE

Public Warned to Beware of a Three Days' Cough and Break It Up Before It's Too Late, by Taking Asprolax, the New Scientific Discovery.

Money Refunded if Asprolax Fails to Bring Relief.

Leading authorities are using every effort to arouse the public to the danger of letting common colds just run their course, for it is definitely known that many serious lung complications, such as pneumonia, grippe, etc., develop from colds that hang on persistently.

Colds are curable and preventable, and Asprolax provides the safest, surest and quickest, as well as the most practical, treatment for colds yet discovered.

Asprolax is almost magical in its effect. The first dose usually stops the tendency to sneezing and coughing, and relieves the feeling of discomfort, and the second and third doses usually suffice to stop the progress of a cold altogether.

The wonderful efficiency of Asprolax is best shown by the fact that all druggists are instructed to refund money where it fails to give satisfactory results. (Advt.)

SCHOOL TRUSTEES PASS ESTIMATES FOR YEAR

Fix Teachers' Salaries on Basis of Wage Schedule in Force and No Cut Therein Appears

Ordinary expenditures of the Board of School Trustees as finally compiled at a meeting of the Board held last night and which will go forward to the City Council, will total this year $576,879. Estimated receipts from various sources total $127,121, leaving the amount to be raised on a mill rate at $449,258.

Teachers' salaries this year will aggregate $356,996, the Board making no cuts but fixing the salaries on the basis of the wage scheduis in force for some years past. Off set against this amount is the Government grant of $97,520. The estimates for the year are summarized as follows:

Estimated Expenditure

Salaries—	
Teachers	$356,996.00
Night Schools	5,661.00
Office and sundry	22,220.00
Maintenance and operation	98,302.00
Interest and Sinking Fund	93,700.00
	$576,879.00

Estimated Receipts

College Fees	$ 6,487.00
Night School Fees and Grant	5,661.00
Provincial Government Grant	97,520.00
1921 Gov't. Grant re Technical and Night Schools	6,203.00
Adjacent Municipalities re High School Fees	11,250.00
	$127,121.00
To be raised by mill levy	$449,258.00

Details of the estimates of ordinary expenditure are:

Janitors' salaries	$ 31,398.00
Janitors' supplies	3,379.00
Fuel, light, power, water	23,700.00
Repairs, upkeep of grounds	13,564.00
Furniture and apparatus	5,235.00
Reference books	650.00
Educational supplies	5,864.00
Insurance	1,275.00
Sundry services	6,611.00
Manual training	1,248.00
Domestic science	850.00
Technical	2,500.00
Medical and dental	250.00
Night schools	900.00
Office	882.00
Teachers' salaries	356,996.00
Teachers' salaries (night)	5,661.00
Salaries, office	22,220.00
	$477,518.00
Interest and sinking fund	93,700.00
Total expenditure	$576,879.00

Plan School Addition

In addition to the above ordinary outlays, the Board approved of an estimated outlay for extraordinary expenditures of $3,000, of which $2,500 is for a two-roomed addition to the Quadra Street school to relieve congestion there, and $500 for improvements to the grounds of the Victoria West school.

In consequence of complaints from residents in the vicinity of the High School at the nature of material used in the filling-in operation on a portion of the grounds there, the Board will ask the city engineer to abate the nuisance.

The recommendation of Municipal Inspector Dean was adopted to the effect that in view of the contemplated reorganization of the school medical service, an additional nurse be appointed as of March 31 next, and the appointment of a school health officer be deferred until September 1, and the present incumbent in the office, Dr. Wasson, be notified his services will terminate March 31, pending the reorganization.

The Board decided that it was not called upon to take any action relative to the complaint by Rev. Mr. McCoy concerning alleged statements by Mr. Cornett, of the High School, statements which the reverend gentleman held contravened the provisions of the School Act prohibiting the discussion of religious matters.

Chairman George Jay was appointed to delineate the duties of the general foreman, Major P. J. Riddell, and report back to the Board.

OFFERS SOLUTION OF VAST PROBLEM

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reconstruct the Russian nation, in return for certain conditions which must be fulfilled . . . Russia is down and out. She has no industry. Her people are starving in millions in the Volga Valley. There are no men or women in Russia wearing clothes less than eight years old. It is absolutely necessary for Russia that they get aid from the world. It is absolutely necessary that the world give aid to Russia, not only in the world's own interests, but in the name of humanity and in the name of Christ. . . . These certain conditions which Russia should be asked to fulfil in return for our aid, and which conditions, in my opinion, Russia would accept, would be as follows: First, demobilization of the Red Army—in return for which there would be demobilization by France of the Polish armies; second, abandonment of the Soviet propaganda; third, a more democratic basis in their system of government."

Sir Philip very briefly went on to tell what the psychological and ethical results of such demobilization of the Red Army would mean. It would give a chance for the spirit of the Washington conference to assert itself; it would relieve at once the burden and menace of France. If Germany and France, together with the British Empire and the United States, were involved in a great business and financial scheme for the reconstruction of Russia that would at once remove the menace between Germany and France. By that scheme Russia, a country of rich resources, would be brought back again into the family of commerce and civilization as a great purchasing power and, ultimately, to her place as one of the first nations of the world.

During a terrific storm while on the English channel Hadyn composed his "Creation."

MUTUAL LIFE OF CANADA REPORTS PROSPEROUS YEAR

The 52nd annual statement of the business of the Mutual Life of Canada has just been published, and the policyholders of the company may well congratulate themselves on the results of the last year's operations.

The statement shows that the surplus earnings have been the largest in the history of the company, and when we remember what a record the Mutual Life has already achieved this statement cannot fail to be impressive.

The business of the company is now more than $228,000,000, having increased by $22,000,000 during the year that has past. Another such year will place the company among those having a quarter of a billion dollars of business in force.

But the amount of business written, although satisfactory, is less important that the financial results attained.

Surplus is mainly acquired through the operation of three factors, namely—a low expense ratio, high interest earnings and low mortality. Now it happened that in the year 1921 all the factors operated so as to produce maximum results. The expense ratio, that is the ratio of expense to income, fell from 20.45% to 18.60%. This means that the company's affairs have been economically handled.

The investments were so carefully placed that the interest earnings have risen from 6.41% to 6.60%, that is to say, the interest earned on invested assets was on the average 6.60% during the year. Considering the variety of securities the company handles, this average interest rate is exceptionally good. The third feature is notable, because intelligent observers had predicted a heavy mortality in the years immediately following the war. That forecast has proven to be incorrect, and the disbursements for death claims during 1921 were only 41% of the amount that the standard tables of mortality might have led them to expect.

Thus we have in the experience of the Mutual Life during the past year three potent factors at work to increase the profits of the company by the largest amount that has ever been earned in the company's fifty-two years of beneficent work. The company being established on a purely mutual basis makes this result all the more interesting, because the whole of the surplus is used either to reduce premiums, to increase the amount of the insurance or is paid in cash.

The statement shows that for every $1,000 of invested assets the company this year has earned $46.47, as against $38.67 in the preceding year, a truly astonishing result. The assets amount to $48,211,203.98, having increased over the preceding year by $5,363,926.73.

By every test the Mutual Life of Canada is in a stronger position today than it has ever been before, and this is saying a good deal, for every one of its fifty-two years has witnessed steady progress, not only in financial standing, but also in the extent of the company's operations. It has been a wonderful year for the policyholders of this popular Canadian Company.

The real test of a life insurance company operating on the participating plan is its surplus earnings from year to year, and the Mutual has achieved a remarkable record in this respect.

MONTREAL STOCKS

(Furnished by Burdick Brothers, Limited)
All Fractions in Eighths

Stock—	Close.
Asbestos Corp.	46-6
Abitibi	80-2
Dominion Bridge	59-2
Detroit United	62-4
Dom. Canners	27
Dom. Iron & Steel	27
Dominion Glass	53
Shawinigan	101-4
Spanish River	64-4
Atlantic Sugar	74-2
Can. Cottons	80
Can. Car Fdy.	70
Can. Gen. Electric	96
Howard-Smith	73
Cons. Mining & Smelting	13
Con. Converters	89-6
National Breweries	56-4
Dominion Textile	133-4
Wayagamac Pulp	37

METAL MARKETS

LONDON, Feb. 13.—Standard copper, spot, £61, 15s; futures, £62, 10s. Electrolytic, spot, £67; futures, £69. Tin, spot, £153, 5s; futures, £155, 5s. Lead, spot, £32, 5s; futures, £31. Zinc, spot, £24, 5s; futures, £25.

DR. LA BAU'S CAREER IN UPPER COUNTRY

NELSON, Feb. 12.—Dr. La Bau, whose death is reported from Victoria, was Nelson's first city medical health officer. Graduating in 1880 from Bellevue Hospital, New York, in surgery, he opened practice in Nelson in 1889, some years later taking as partner Dr. Alex. Forin, now of Edmonton.

He married a Miss Hayward in Nelson about 1896.

He moved to Spokane about 1907. He was greatly interested in mechanics, and when he first came to the Kootenay, in 1887, operated a hoist at an Ainsworth mine, and was also for a time an engineer on a lake boat.

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Constipation is one of the commonest ills of mankind, and one too often allowed to go unlooked after, until some serious complication sets in.

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WINNIPEG GRAIN MARKET

WINNIPEG, Feb. 13.—With an exceptionally solid demand throughout the session for the May option by export interests, the local market maintained a strong tone again today and closed with a gain of 2¾c. The opening was strong and May advanced to a high of $1.33 and July to $1.29⅝. Fill offerings were light, and the trade volume was not large. The market, however, was very bullish, and prices ascended easily and at times without sales being made. All grades of cash wheat were in good demand today. Offerings were not heavy, but there was some farmers wheat changing hands on the bulge. Premiums were reported as unchanged to slightly higher.

The coarse grains markets were all showing strength, especially flax and rye. Trading was active at times, but on the whole the volume worked was not large.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat—				
May	127⅝	133	127⅝	132
July	124⅝	129⅛	124⅝	129⅛
Oats—				
May	47⅞	49¼	47⅞	49¼
July	47⅝	48⅝	47⅝	48⅝
Barley—				
May	63½	65⅝	62½	65½
July	..	..	..	64½
Flax—				
May	239	243½	239	243⅛
July	231	244	231	243
Rye—				
May	101⅝	103	101⅝	103
July	103⅛	103⅝	103⅛	103⅝

Cash prices, Wheat—1 hard, 134⅝; 1 nor., 134⅛; 2 nor., 132⅛; 3 nor., 129⅛; No. 4, 114⅝; No. 5, 103⅛; No. 6, 103; feed, 93; track, 135.

Oats—3 cw., 49¼; 2 cw. and extra 1 feed, 48⅝; 1 feed, 48⅛; 2 feed, 48⅝; rejected, 40⅛; track, 48⅝.

Barley—3 cw., 65⅝; 4 cw., 59⅝; rejected and feed, 53⅛; track, 65⅝.

Flax—1 nwc., 240⅝; 2 cw., 238⅛; 3 cw., and rejected, 213⅛; track, 239⅛.

Rye—3 cw., 103⅝.

VICTORIA STOCK EXCHANGE

(By F. W. Stevenson, 103 Pemberton Bldg.)

	Bid.	Asked.
Athabasca Oils	..	.16
B. C. Fishing Co	30.00	..
B. C. Permanent Loan	90.00	..
B. C. Refining Co.	.35	.45
B. C. Silver	.10	..
Boundary Bay Oil	.02¾	.03¼
Bowena Copper	.03	.04
Canada Copper	.25	..
Can. Nat. Fire	45.00	..
Cons. M. and S.	19.00	21.00
Cork Province	..	.10
Crow's Nest Coal	..	55.00
Douglas Channel	..	.05
Empire Oil	..	.03¾
Granby	23.00	..
Great West Perm.	40.00	..
Howe Sound	2.75	3.25
Int'l Coal	.19	.31½
McGillivray	.45	..
Nabob	.03½	..
Nugget	.06	.07
Pacific Coast Fire	4.00	..
Pill Meadows	..	.05
Rambler-Cariboo	..	.03
Silversmith	.23	.29
Silver Crest	..	.04
Snowstorm	.06	..
Spartan Oil	..	.01¾
Standard Lead	.10	..
Sunloch Mines	..	.26
Surf Inlet	.25	.28
Stewart M.	..	.26
Stewart Land	..	10.00
Trojan Oils	.04	.04½
Whalen, com.	..	15.00
Whalen, pfd.	..	22.00
Wonderphone	..	.35

MONEY AND EXCHANGE

LONDON, Feb. 13.—Bar silver, 34¼d per ounce. Money, 3 per cent. Discount rates: Short and three months' bills, 3 13-16 per cent.

MONTREAL PRODUCE

MONTREAL, Feb. 13.—Produce prices unchanged.

Cheese, finest Easterns, 17½c to 18c.
Butter, choicest creamery, 33c to 34c.
Potatoes, per bag carlots, $1.30 to $1.35

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TORONTO, Feb. 13.—Latest prices for Victory and War Loans are.

Victory Loan, 5½%	
Dom. Tax Free, 1922	99⅝
Dom. Tax Free, 1923	99⅝
" 1924	99⅝
Dom. Tax Free, 1927	101⅝
Dom. Tax Free, 1933	102⅝
" 1934	99⅝
Dom. Tax Free, 1937	101⅝
War Loan, 5%	
Dom. Tax Free, 1925	98
Dom. Tax Free, 1931	98⅛
Dom. Tax Free, 1937	100⅛

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But, fortunately, emaciation is never natural. It is always the result of starvation. No matter how much the very thin person may be in the habit of eating, and no matter how excellent her food may be, she is in a half-starved condition. It is not the quantity of food eaten, but the quantity made use of by the body, that counts. When digestion is incomplete, or when the assimilative organs fail in their duties, one may starve in the midst of plenty.

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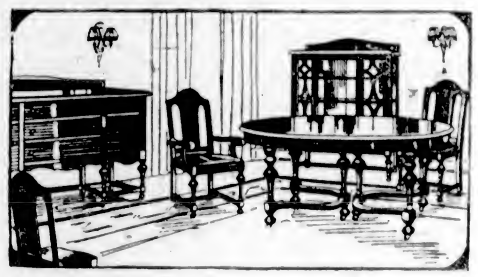
—Drapery, 2nd Floor



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—Furniture, 2nd Floor

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—Whitewear, 1st Floor—Phone 1194

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—Draperies

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